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A soldier of the legion, lay dying in Algiers;
There was lack of woman's nursing, there was dearth of woman's tears;
But a comrade stood beside him, while his life's blood ebb'd away,
And bent with pitying glances, to hear what he might say.
This dying soldier faltered, as he took that comrade's hand,
And he said, "I never more shall see my own, my native land;
Take a message and a token to some distant friend of mine—
For I was born at Bingen—at Bingen on the Rhine.

Tell my brothers and companions, when they meet and crowd around,
To hear my mournful story, in the pleasant vineyard ground,
That we fought the battle bravely, and when the day was done,
Full many a corpse lay ghastly pale, beneath the setting sun;
And, midst the dead and dying, were some grown old in wars—
The death-wound on their gallant breasts, the last of many scars.
And some were young—and suddenly beheld life's noon decline—
And one had come from Bingen—fair Bingen on the Rhine.

Tell my mother that her other sons shall comfort her old age,
And I was still a truant bird that thought his home a cage;
For my father was a soldier, and even as a child
My heart leaped forth to hear him tell of struggles fierce and wild,
And when he died, and left us to divide his scanty board,
I let them take what o'er they would—but kept my father's sword;
And with boyish love I hung it, where the brigh light used to shine,
On the cottage wall at Bingen—calm Bingen on the Rhine.

Tell my sisters not to weep for me, and sob with drooping head,
When the troops are marching home again, with gay and gallant tread;
But to look upon them proudly, with a calm and steadfast eye,
For her brother was a soldier, too, and not afraid to die:
And if a comrade seek her love, I ask her in my name,
To listen to him kindly, without regret or shame;
And to hang the old sword in its place (my father's sword and mine),
For the honor of old Bingen—dear Bingen on the Rhine.

There's another—not a sister—in the happy days gone by,
You'd have known her by the merriment that sparkled in her eye,
Too innocent for coquetry—too fond for idle scorning,
Oh! friend, I fear the lightest heart makes sometimes heaviest mourning;
Tell her the last night of my life (for ere the sun be risen,
My body will be out of pain, my soul be out of prison,)
I dreamed I stood with *her* and saw the yellow sunlight shine
On the vine-clad hills of Bingen—fair Bingen on the Rhine.

I saw the blue Rhine sweep along, I heard or seemed to hear
The German songs we used to sing in chorus sweet and clear;
And down the pleasant river—and up the pleasant hill,
That echoing chorus sounded, through the evening calm and still;
And her glad blue eyes were on me, as we passed with friendly talk,
Down many a path beloved of yore, and well-remembered walk;
And her little hand lay lightly, confidently in mine—
But we'll meet no more at Bingen—loved Bingen on the Rhine."

His voice grew faint and hoarser, his grasp was childish weak,
His eyes put on a dying look, he sighed and ceased to speak;
His comrade bent to lift him, but the spark of life had fled,
The soldier of the legion in a foreign land was dead!
And the soft moon rose up slowly, and calmly she looked down,
On the red sand of the battle-field, with bloody corpses strewn,
Yea, calmly on that dreadful scene, her pale light seemed to shine,
As it did in distant Bingen—fair Bingen on the Rhine.

IT DOESN'T MAKE IT SO.

Suppose, for instance, you suppose
That black is white—that fast is slow—
That every wind is mild that blows,
It really doesn't make it so.

Suppose, again, that you suppose
You'll meet good things where'er you go—
That every sweet comes from the rose,
It really doesn't make it so.

Suppose, once more, that you suppose
All blisses from one fountain flow—
That all the belles are blessed with beaux,
That really doesn't make it so.

Suppose, in short, that you suppose
Your bright-eyed love can't say you "No"—
That she despises all your foes,
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Select Miscellany.

THE DEAD ARM.

"Do you see that arm?"

The convict, wasted by a fierce disease, raised himself to a sitting position in the bed, with much labor, and raising his withered right arm with the other, clutched it as if he would ring it from its sockets as a traitorous member of his body.

"That arm did it," and he glared revengefully upon it, and shook it fiercely.

"Did what?"

"Did murder! Put me here to live a buried life for ten long years. Oh! how long they have been. I have counted them hour after hour in my cell. How long can I live at the most?"

"Three hours—perhaps four."

"Too long to live, but sufficient time in which to tell my story. If you believe it, it will be more than judge or jury have done. Would you deceive when on your death bed?"

"My marriage to the girl I had long loved, and who loved me with a love exceeding my most sanguine hopes, is the point, so far as regards the nice applicability of the past events to the present certainties, at which my narrative commences. Dating from the day of that marriage, there begins a succession of misfortunes, that insignificant at their birth, were gradually moulded together by extraneous contingencies until they culminated in an act foul and terrible, if meditated or intended, that made a branded felon.

"My wife and I never quarrelled. We loved and revered each other too much to trespass or trample upon what the other considered sacred. To be sure, in mere levity and exultation of spirits we performed acts that, to persons unacquainted with us and our circumstances, might seem seasoned with earnestness. To such misunderstandings, by a third person, may be attributed the origin of reports that we, my wife and I, lived an unhappy life—a life of turmoil—of blows. Many around us held to such an opinion, but from mere ignorance of the nature of our lives.

"But I, descending rapidly to the grave, do declare that we never, by word or deed, transcended the bounds of our great love for each other; or transgressed those laws that should preserve the person of the wife from blow or contumely. If it were possible to exist without jarring discord to turn the sweetest sympathies into bitter hatred, ours was that existence.—Yet it availed me not in the dark day that came upon my household; but rather offered opportunities by which to strengthen an apparent guiltiness.

"Jessie," I said to my wife, one evening, "do you stand on one side of the room while I take a position on the other. Give me a ball of yarn from the basket, and then whosoever is hit with the ball the greatest number of times, shall make a present to the other. A nice present, of course."

"If I lose, my present shall be a dressing gown," said Jessie, "but you know you'll have to pay for it."

"It will be just as acceptable," I answered.

"But if I lose, you have that ring with the emerald and pearls."

Then the soft ball of yarn flew quickly from hand to hand, we all the time laughing and talking with great glee. A knock at the door and an acquaintance entered, finding our faces all flushed with the excitement of the contest, and each uncertain who was the vanquished.—I declared that she won the ring, and promised to put it upon her finger the next day; which day to her alive, never came.

About two o'clock that night, I was awakened to consciousness by one of those inexplicable preternatural premonitions of near danger, which are often encountered, but generally in a skeptical spirit.

My mind was clear to reason—not having its delicate powers blunted by sleep. Scarcely were my eyes unclosed before I came cognizant of the presence of a cold, clammy nature, by its loathsome contact with my face, and by its presence upon my bosom, whereby it nearly stilled the beating of my heart. Naturally, I am no coward; but the knowledge of the presence of this burden, combined with utter darkness, creator of fierce fear, completely unnerved me, and my body shook like an aspin leaf.

The quiet condition of this body, which appertained not to myself, or my wife—its mysterious situation—and above all—the moist, chilly contact with my face, deprived me for an instant of self-possession. The clattering of a blind, or the nibbling of a mouse, seemed like a peal of thunder to my ears; the overstrained eye saw or seemed to see, ghostly shapes pendent from the chandalier or bed-post.

I dared not shout aloud nor change my position in bed for fear that my throat would be clutched by the incubus that sat like a hideous nightmare fully developed into a reality upon my chest.

I experienced such sensations as does the strong swimmer or the venturous diver, when coming in bodily contact, unforewarned, with a corpse beneath the surface of the water—when nature acts like an electric battery, and discharges volumes of fear at the slightest movement; or like one in the dark, who encounters a skeleton.

I was peculiarly situated; surrounded by an immensity of terror; expansive in as much as it draped thoughts and motions in habiliment that gave them a gigantic appearance; immersed into the sea of dread and doubt, and finally completely cowed by fear.

Now reason made it appeal to the frightened soul. The mere consciousness of bodily contact with his invisibility suggested its substantiability, but I hesitated to make the first movement, hostile or otherwise. There was a half-formed supposition in my mind, that if I stirred there would come upon me an onset by the incubus that I could not withhold; this hesitancy to action I partly overcame by the circumspect rising off my left arm—it was free. I moved my right instantly, and cotemporaneously with that movement the weight upon my face was removed to my neck. A little more stealthly investigation, still fearful of an attack by an insidious enemy, and I found that my right hand and arm as far as the elbow was temporarily paralyzed, or in that condition called "asleep;" that the hand was cold and without sensibility, and it was that object I had rested upon my face.

Of course I was much elated at the discovery, and ashamed that I had been so easily alarmed at an incident that was susceptible of so easy an explanation. In order to give my wife an account of the absurd occurrence, I turned over, my present position being a reclination upon my back. In my relief, consequent upon what I considered a correct explanation of my fright, the weight upon my chest had been forgotten; now, the change of my position recalled it very unpleasantly and inopportunely, even before I had touched my wife.

Imagine, if you can, the result of this sudden knowledge that my oppressor had not been explained away. Think how quickly all the reasons which had been carefully revolved from the mental perplexities in which I had been entangled, were effectually controverted, and how absolutely mystery and fauntic horror again swayed the sceptre.

There was, then, a being or thing in the room that did not belong there, never had been there previous to that night, and my deductions were faulty. The result was that I lost all control over my passions—that I was lashed into a fury of despair, by the fear of the presence of a supernatural being.

Clasping the object upon my breast with my left hand, with my right nerved with terror knowing no restraint, and numb to all sensation of pain by reason of its paralysis I struck heavy, treacherous blows. It had soft hair, and at this I pulled and tugged, in this paroxysm of horror, in my great agony of mind I shrieked for aid—notwithstanding my efforts encountered no resistance—and called Jessie to awaken. There was no response. The passive submission to blows of the object grasped in my left hand, was extraordinary—the silence of my wife unaccountable.

Then for the first time during the struggle did I think of Jessie's remarkable sound slumber, and connected with the burden, I could not seperate the identity of my wife from that of the object of my vengeance.

Pushing the weight aside, I leaped from the bed and lighted the gas.

My wife was dead.

It was her head—that I had so often fondled, playing with its silken tresses—kissing them dear lips—looking into those lustrous eyes—that had so confidently reposed upon my breast. Yet not more than five minutes had elapsed since my awakening.

I can not believe that I am her murderer, even, though the law so seals me with the crime.

But the arm, now so shrivelled and withered into its present form, came not so by a punishment from heaven. After my condemnation, doubting as I did my agency in her death, yet hating the instrument that had known no pity or gentleness in its blows, I held it, that arm, as a sacrifice to my dead wife, in the fire, until the flames sapped its life, blackened its beauty, and burned out of it all the semblance of human form.

These are the reasons why I hate it, and have hated it since that night. I am thankful that my stay upon earth is so diminished. When you have lived a life of solitude such as mine, with a doubt such as mine for an invisible companion, you, too, would gladly seek its conclusion.

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The convict died that night. The prison warden confirming the truth of the convict's narrative, adding that the marks of blows upon the body of his wife—the absence of all cause to create sudden death—and the unfavorable testimony of many of the witnesses who had interrupted their amusement the evening previous to his wife's decease, were formidable arguments against the innocence of the convict.

If the convict's story was true, and I had no reason to believe it was false, it was certainly an instance of remarkable complicity of circumstances sufficient to embarrass both Judge and Jury. It was doubtless a case of unintential murder, committed by the convict in a state of frenzy—originated and finished under the influence of a superstitious mind, too easily excited by such a situation as that in which he had been placed.

A NEW SORT OF DIVORCE.—Not long since a native of the Fejee Islands presented himself to a missionary and humbly begged to receive the rite of baptism.

"But," objected the priest, "you are a polygamist—you have several wives."

"Keep the one that you have lived the longest with."

Eight days afterwards the converted savage returned to the priest, with his face radiant with innocent joy.

"Now, father," said he, "you can baptise me. I have only one wife now," and he pointed to a quiet, pleasant looking woman who accompanied him.

"And what has become of the other?" asked the priest.

"O, I ate her!"

THE EXILED DUKES.—According to recent advices the exiled Italian Dukes are preparing for "hard times." The Duchess Regent of Parma has reduced by half the emoluments of her representatives at the European Courts.—The Grand Duke of Tuscany and the Duke of Modena have determined to suppress all their representatives at the end of the year. From the month of December the troops of the Duke of Modena will be informed that they are at liberty to return home or to enter the Austrian regiments in Venetia. These are pretty good proofs that these princes are sufficiently convinced of the impossibility of a restoration, even though Austria should succeed in renewing the war.

BILL POSTING IN NEW YORK.—The method used in New York to post up inflammatory handbills, was the same resorted to in England at the time of the Pretender. It was done by a man who carried a little boy with dim, in a box like a magic lantern, and while he leaned against the wall, as if to rest himself, the boy drew back a slide, pasted on the paper, and shutting himself up again, the man took the proper occasion to walk off to another resting place.

☞ A snake story is told as having happened at kisatchie, La. Seven years ago a snake crawled into a feather bed, placed outside the house; in using this bed since, snake dreams have haunted the sleepers. The other day the snake was discovered, dragged out alive, and proved to be seven feet long.

☞ Passion is a very keen observer, but a wretched reasoner. It is like the telescope, whose field is clearer the more contracted it is.

☞ Cold in the head isn't half so common as cold in the heart; but it is a great deal oftener complained of.

☞ A man's good fortune often turns his head, his bad fortune as often averts the heads of his friends.

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☞ Where parties are unknown to us, our rule for advertising is to require payment in advance, or a guarantee from known persons. It is therefore useless for all such to send us advertisements offering to pay at the end of three or six months. Where advertisements are accompanied with the money, whether one, five or ten dollars, we will give the advertiser the full benefit of cash rates.

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INAUGURATION OF GOV. CURTIN.—Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, quite a crowd of people assembled at Harrisburg, on Tuesday last, to witness the inauguration of Col. Andrew G. Curtin, as Governor of Pennsylvania. Thirteen military companies were in attendance and made a fine appearance.—The oath of office was administered at a little past twelve o'clock, after which the Governor delivered an address which is spoken of in terms of praise by men of all parties. While the procession was marching through the streets and during the proceedings in front of the Capitol, old "Cero Gordo," in front of the Arsenal, sent forth peal after peal which made the windows rattle and the hills re-echo. The best order and feeling pervaded the entire crowd, and but little drunkenness was observed.

In the evening, a party of "Wide-Awakes," headed by the Harrisburg Band, marched to the quarters of the Governor, at the "Jones' House," for the purpose of complimenting him with a serenade. After the band had performed "Hail to the Chief," the Governor made his appearance on the balcony and was heartily cheered. According to previous arrangement, immediately after the serenade a beautiful pyrotechnic display was given in Market Square. This, with the grand Inauguration Ball, wound up the festivities of the occasion.

☞ Mr. Bigler from this State, offered in the U. S. Senate, on Monday last, a series of amendments to the Constitution of the United States, which he proposes to have submitted directly to a vote of the people, without a vote thereon by Congress. Among the amendments we find one which reads as follows:—

ARTICLE 6. That, hereafter, the President of the United States shall hold office during the term of six years, and shall not be eligible to re-election.

We are opposed to that amendment, for the reason that if a bad man happens to get into that office, four years is long enough, if not too long, to endure his rule, and if we get a good man, we can, under the present Constitution, elect him a second time.

☞ The *Farmer and Gardener* for January is received; and maintains unfarnished its high reputation. It is, as usual, handsomely embellished, and filled to repletion with matter of the highest interest and importance. We observe that the enterprising publishers, Messrs. A. M. Spangler & Co., have also issued a new monthly entitled "*The American Bee Journal*," which promises to be a most valuable and important work for those who are interested in that subject. The price of each of these Journals is one dollar, but the publishers offer them both, together with a prepaid copy of either the "Year Book of the Farm and Garden," or "Both sides of the Grape Question," for the trifling sum of one dollar and fifty cents. Address A. M. Spangler & Co., 25 North Sixth Street, Philadelphia.

GODEY'S LADY'S BOOK.—This elegant Ladies' Book, for February, is again before us. This is decidedly the best periodical for the ladies in the country. Its engravings are got up in the very best style; its colored fashion plates are really beautiful. It gives more patterns for making pretty and useful things, and gives more receipts for curing ailments and making good victuals than any other magazine published.—Terms, one copy per year, $3,00; two copies one year, $5; three copies one year, $6. Address L. A. Godey, 323 Chestnut St., Philadel'a.

☞ Wheeling grows uneasy at the bare idea of Virginia seceding. The *Intelligencer*, of that city, says:

"The effect would be to depopulate western Virginia of her best and most enterprising citizens. The population of this city, in the next decade, would retrograde one-third. Make us a foreign city to Ohio and Pennsylvania, and grass will grow in every street in this city next summer. We will sink, sink, and sink, until we become a sort of old, dull, moneyless Mexican town, that subsists by catching a copper once in awhile from a traveler, and eking out a miserable little trade with the country immediately about it. This will be our condition. And it will be that of every town and hamlet in Western Virginia.

As regards Wheeling, this would undoubtedly be true. That city derives its growth mainly from the adjacent districts of Ohio and Pennsylvania, and from the through trade between the free States of the west and the great commercial cities of the east. Let Maryland and Virginia secede, and the business of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad would be ruined, and Wheeling would mourn in sackcloth and ashes

Latest from the Secession Movement.

Presuming that our readers are more interested in the secession movement than anything else, we devote the most of our space to keeping them posted in regard to the doings of the secessionists and the General Government. In our last we published as the latest dispatch that the steamer, Star of the West, which was sent out from New York with men and supplies for Maj. Anderson, at Fort Sumter, whilst attempting to enter Charleston harbor, and thereupon put out to sea again. The following additional information has since been received by telegraph and through the daily papers. The Charleston *Courier* gives the following particulars of the attack upon the Steamer and the correspondence between Major Anderson and Geo. Pickens of South Carolina, in reference to it.

About half past six o'clock yesterday evening, the steamer General Church, discovered the steamer Star of the West, and signalled the fact to the occupants of the battery on Morris Island. As soon as the fact was signalled, all Morris Island was astir, and the men were at their posts before the orders were given.

They remained in anxious suspense, but ready for what they believed was sure to come—namely, a volley from Fort Sumpter.

The Star of the West rounded the point and took the ship channel inside of the bar, and proceeded straight forward until she was opposite Morris' Island, three quarters of a mile from the battery, when a ball was fired athwart the bows of the steamer. The Star of the West displayed the stars and stripes, and as soon as it was unfuried a succession of heavy shots was fired.

The vessel continued at increased speed; but one or two shots taking effect, her Captain concluded to retire. Fort Moultrie fired a few shots, but they were out of range. The damage done to the steamer was trifling, only two out of seventeen shots taking effect, but there is no idea as to the extent of the damage. Fort Sumpter made no demonstration except that he guns were run out of the embrasures bearing on Morris Island and Fort Moultrie.

About 11 o'clock a boat from Fort Sumpter, bearing Liut. Hall, with a white flag, approached the city. He had an interview with Gov. Pickens, and was afterward escorted to the boat and re-embarked for Fort Sumter.

MAJ. ANDERSON TO GOV. PICKENS.

The communication from Major Anderson is as follows:—

To his excellency the Governor of South Carolina:—

SIR—Two of your batteries fired this morning on an unarmed vessel bearing the flag of my Government. I am not notified that war has been declared by South Carolina against the United States, and I cannot but think that this hostile act was committed without your sanction or authority. Under that hope, I refrained from opening fire upon your battery. I have the honor, therefore, respectfully to ask whether the above mentioned act—one I believe without parallel in the history of our country, or any other civilized government—was committed in obedience to your instructions, and notify you that if not disclaimed, that I regard it as an act of war; and I shall not, after a reasonable time for the return of any messenger, permit any vessel to pass within range of the guns of my Fort. In order to save, as far as in my power, the shedding of blood, I beg you will have due notification made of my decision to all concerned. Hoping, however, that your answer may justify a further continuance of forbearance on my part, I am Respectfully,

ROBT. ANDERSON.

REPLY OF GOV. PICKENS.

Governor Pickens in his reply, after stating the position of South Carolina to the United States, and that any attempt to send United States troops to Charleston harbor to re-inforce the Forts would be regarded as an act of hostility, says in conclusion:

Any attempt to reinforce the troops in Fort Sumter, or to retake and resume possession of the Forts within the waters of this State, which you abandoned, spiking the guns and doing otherwise much damage, cannot be regarded by the authorities of the State as indicative of any other purpose than a coercion of the State by the armed force of the government. Special agents, therefore, have been placed off the bar to warn approaching vessels, both armed and unarmed, having troops on board to reinforce the Forts, not to enter the harbor. Special orders have been given to the commanders of the Forts not to fire at such vessels until a shot across her bow would warn them of the prohibition of the State. Under such circumstances the Star of the West, I have understood this morning, attempted to enter the harbor with troops, and having been notified that she could not enter, she was fired into.

The act is perfectly justified by me. In regard to your threat against vessels in the harbor, it is only necessary to say that you must judge of your responsibility. Your position in the harbor has been tolerated by the authorities of this State, and while the act of which you complain is in perfect consistence with the rights and duties of the State, it is not perceived how far the conduct you purpose to adopt can find a parallel in the history of any country, or reconcile it with any other purpose of your government than imposing on the State the condition of a conquered province.

F. W. PICKENS.

MAJ. ANDERSON'S REJOINDER.

The following is a second communication from Maj. Anderson:

To His Excellency, Gov. Pickens:

SIR: I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your communication, and say that under the circumstances I have deemed it proper to refer the whole matter to my government, and intend deferring the course indicated by my note of this morning, until the arrival from Washington of the instructions I may receive. I have the honor also to express the hope that no obstructions will be placed in his way, and that you will do me the favor of giving every facility to the departure and return of the bearer, Lieut. T. Talbot, who is directed to make the journey. R. ANDERSON.

Governor Pickens granted the permission desired, and directed that every facility and courtesy should be extended to the bearer of dispatches, Lieut. Talbot, for his government, both going and returning.

DEPARTURE OF LIEUT. TALBOT—ENTERTAINMENT GIVEN TO HIM AT CHARLESTON.

Charleston, Jan. 10.—Lieut. T. Talbot left Charleston late last night with dispatches from Major Anderson to his government. He goes to Washington for instructions from the President. A party of gentlemen entertained Lieut. Talbot before he left. There is no excitement here.

The following dispatch from New York, dated Jan. 12, explains itself:—

The steamship Star of the West arrived here, during the night, on her return from the unsuccessful attempt to reinforce Fort Sumter.—The troops returned on board of her.

SECOND DISPATCH.

The Star of the West brings back the troops destined for the relief of Fort Sumter. The report from Charleston was correct in relation to two of the balls fired at her taking effect. One struck her on the bow, and the second on the starboard quarter, between the smoke-stack and the engine-beam. No person was hurt. She struck on the bar twice in coming out. At night, steamers were seen coming out of the harbor, supposed to be in pursuit. The same night she spoke the ship Emily St. Pierre, from Liverpool to Charleston, and refused admittance in consequence of the American flag being displayed. When leaving Charleston Harbor, the Star of the West received several parting shots from the battery on Morris Island, and they all fell short. The general feeling on board now is to return to Charleston, with proper means of defence, and effect a landing at all hazards.

The following items we copy from the special despatch from Washington, to the New York *Tribune*, of Tuesday:

GEN. SCOTT AND SENATOR TOOMBS.

The newspaper statements of a quarrel between Gen Scott and Mr. Toombs at a private table here, and a reference of it to friends afterward, are entirely unfounded. It is true that, at a dinner-party at Mr. Corcoran's, Mr. Toombs did say that he wished the Star of the West might be sunk with all on board. Gen. Scott took no notice of this brutal remark, excepting privately to the gentleman who sat next to him, and he certainly had no idea of dignifying Mr. Toombs with a personal controversy which he would doubtless desire for his own consequence, especially as nothing more could ensue from it. When he had opportunities with Jeff. Davis and John Bell, he exhibited no particular anxiety to go beyond words.

SUPPLIES FOR FORT SUMPTER.

It now seems to be understood that the Commissioners on the part of Major Anderson and Gov. Pickens, are sent here to propose, on behalf of the latter, that supplies shall be furnished to Fort Sumpter, and communication allowed with Charleston if Government will agree not to send additional troops. The exact character of the proposition will be known to-morrow. These and other negotiations have excited much comment on both sides.

MR. BRECKINRIDGE.

Mr. Breckinridge is now fully in the counsels of the conspirators, and is relied on by them as one of the effective managers of their movement. He is deluded with the idea of being President of the new imaginary Confederacy, and no longer affects any sympathy with the friends of Union.

THE SOUTHERN FORTS.

All the important Forts at the South, except a part of the works at Pensacola, Fort Sumter, Fort Monroe, Fort Washington, on the Potomac, and Fort McHenry, are now in possession of the revolutionists. This condition of things was preconcerted by Mr. Floyd.

MR. CHASE AND THE NEW CABINET.

Mr. Chase will resign his seat in the Senate immediately upon notifying Mr. Lincoln of his acceptance of the Treasury Department, in order that the Legislature may at once elect his successor. The general expectation is, that Col. Sherman will be chosen in his place, as being eminently qualified, and having acquired peculiar prominence as the candidate for Speaker of the present House. His selection would doubtless satisfy both the local interests in Ohio, and be acceptable here and to the country.

THE BROOKLYN.

There is no reason whatever to fear that any collision has occurred between the Brooklyn and the South Carolina troops. Her orders were explicit against crossing the bar, and if she had met the Star of the West, as was intended, the latter would not have attempted to enter the harbor at all.

The general tone here is much improved, and a strong belief is entertained among well-informed and sagacious public men, that the Southern revolution has expended its force, and a great reaction, from absolute necessity, must occur within the next sixty days. Capitalists have more reason for confidence now, than at any time since this rebellious movement began.

The following are the latest despatches from Washington, dated January 15th:

It is reported that private advices have been received from Baton Rouge, Louisiana, stating that the election of delegates to the convention has resulted in a majority against secession.

It is understood that the Agents of South Carolina now here, demand the unconditional surrender of Fort Sumter, with a view to avoid the shedding of blood. The Administration has not yet considered the proposition.

The speech of Mr. McClernard, of Illinois, in its geographical, commercial and national significance, is producing quite a sensation here. It is rallying the Union feeling.

A special despatch from Washington says that South Carolina has offered to evacuate all the forts and public property, in case of Major Anderson being ordered back to Fort Moultrie.

Private despatches from Little Rock say that the Arkansas Senate has rejected the bill passed by the House for a State Convention.

Fortifications in the Southern States.

Subjoined is a list of fortifications, taken from Col. Totten's report made to Congress a few years ago, giving the cost of each, and the number of guns they severally mount:

Table of Navy Yards and Principal Forts South of Mason and Dixon's Line, showing the Position, Cost and Strength of each.

WHERE LOCATED.	COST.	MEN.	GUNS.
Fort McHenry, Baltimore	$146,000	350	74
*Fort Carroll, Baltimore	135,000	800	150
Ft. Delaware, Delaware River, Del.	539,000	750	151
Fort Madison, Annapolis, Md	15,000	150	31
Fort Severn, Md	6,000	60	14
Fort Washington, Potomac River	575,000	400	88
Ft. Monroe, Old Point Comfort, Va.	2,400,000	2,450	371
Ft. Calhoun, Hampton Roads, Norfolk	1,664,000	1,120	224
Fort Macon, Beaufort, N. C.	460,000	300	61
Ft. Johnson, Cape F. Wilm'n, N. C.	5,000	60	10
Fort Caswell, Oak Island, N. C.	571,000	400	81
Fort Sumter, Charleston, S. C.	677,000	650	146
Castle Pinckney, Charleston, S. C.	43,000	100	25
Fort Moultrie, Charleston, S. C.	75,000	300	54
Fort Pulaski, Savannah, Ga.	923,000	400	150
Fort Jackson, Savannah, Ga.	80,000	70	14
Ft. Marion, St. Augustus, Florida	51,000	100	25
Fort Taylor, Key West	.....	1,000	185
Fort Jefferson, Tortugas	.....	1,500	268
Fort Barrancas, Pensacola	315,000	250	49
Redoubt, Pensacola	100,000	.....	26
Fort Pickens, Pensacola	750,000	1,200	212
Fort McRee, Pensacola	384,000	650	151
Fort Morgan, Mobile	1,212,000	700	132
Ft. St. Philip, Mouth Miss'pi River	143,000	600	124
Ft. Jackson, Mouth Miss'pi River	817,000	600	120
Fort Pike, Bigolets, La	472,000	300	49
Fort Macomb, Chef Menteur, La	447,600	300	49
Ft. Livingstone, Barrataria Bay	342,000	300	52

*Incomplete.

In addition to these are incomplete works at Ship Island, Mississippi River; Georgetown, S. C.; Port Royal Roads, S. C.; Types Islands, Savannah; Galveston, Brazos, Santiego and Matagorda Bay, Texas. The guns which were lately stopped at Pittsburg were designed for those at Galveston and Ship Island.

Hampton Roads is the great naval depot station and rendezvous of the Sothern coasts.

Pensacola is very strong, and the only good harbor for vessels of war, and the only naval depot on the gulf. The fortresses at Key West and Tortugas, on the Southern point of Florida are among the most powerful in the world and every vessel that crosses the gulf passes within sight of both.

☞ "Occasional," the Washington correspondent of the Philadelphia *Press*, closes his letter to that paper, of the 15th inst., with the following in relation to the turn affairs are taking at Washington:—

Meanwhile the Union sentiment grows apace in Washington, and volunteer companies are being formed in all the wards. The laborers around the Capitol are organizing themselves into a Union corps, and are being nightly drilled by one of their number, an experienced military man. These precautions will probably induce the Disunionists in our midst to halt in their designs, and if Maryland continues to be animated by the spirit of her late Union meeting in Baltimore nothing can prevent the peaceable inauguration of Abraham Lincoln.

Two Brothers Kill Each Other.

The Evansville, Ind., *Journal* of Tuesday, gives an account of an appalling tragedy which happened in that city the night before, never equalled for ferocity and unnatural hate. It appears that a fierce feud has long existed between two brothers named John P Evans and Robert M. Evans, members of an old and well known family of Evansville. Their grandfather laid out the town. They have made several attempts heretofore on each other's lives. Robert went to a ball Tuesday evening with a lady. About midnight Paul came in intoxicated. He walked up to his brother, and asked him to drink. His brother refused; whereupon Paul drew a knife, seeing which, Robert drew a six-shooter. Paul stepped back, and drew a six-shooter. Robert drew a knife and put it between his teeth, and commenced firing. Paul returned the fire, and each fired six shots, and then closed and used their knives. They were mortally wounded.

Paul started for the front door and went out; was followed and brought back and died in twenty minutes. He was shot in the upper part of the breast and cut several times in the abdomen. Robert, when Paul left the room, followed him as far as the inside door, where he fell, struck the wall and skinned his face. He was carried to a temporary couch, and lay insensible nearly three hours, when he also died. He was shot through the left lobe of the brain and in the right side beneath the ribs. They both seemed to die of inward bleeding.

During the encounter, a younger brother, Perry, shot three balls at Paul, one of which it is said hit him. Solomon Gumberts, a son of Simon Gumberts, was accidentally shot by one of the random balls, in the right thigh. His condition is serious. Such a scene as was presented when the writer reached the hall, may he never again behold. The two brothers lay there within a few feet of each other, cold and pale in death, bloody and ghastly, marred by fratricidal wounds. The floor near the scene of combat was covered with gore, and the plastering pitted with bullet dents. Gathered around were groups of men, some with tears glistening in their eyes, "although unused to the melting mood."

It was providential that no more persons were hurt. Fifteen shots were fired recklessly in a room crowded with men and women! It is rumored that a German was arrested for firing at one of the combatants during the melee. The widowed mother and the brothers of these unfortunate men are overwhelmed with grief.—May God help them! We have "supped full of horrors," and have no heart to write more.

☞ The comments on the item from the *Buffalo Commercial*, are by U. J. Jones, and are as true as preaching:—

PRICE OF LECTURES.—Popular lecturers occasionally get an exaggerated idea of the value of their services. Bayard Taylor lets himself out to the tune of $75; Beecher won't open his mouth short of $100 and expenses; while Gough has modestly announced to an Auburn committee his willingness to enlighten the natives for $200 an evening.—*Buffalo Commercial.*

Well, after all is said and done, there *is* something in a name. There are probably a hundred men in the United States who can lecture fully as well as Beecher who are right well satisfied to make five dollars a day. So far as Gough is concerned, we are free to acknowledge that he is a brilliant lecturer, but his abilities are overrated, and considerably overpaid when he gets two hundred dollars for two hours talk. A man having employment regularly at such rates need not envy Fremont his quartz mills, or Law or Vanderbilt their steamship lines. He could soon lay up for a rainy day.

But, as we said before, there is much in a name. "Sylvanus Cobb," through the columns of one of the New York papers, palms upon the public the veriest trash the world ever was inflicted with under the title of romance, and yet he is well paid for it. We can find twenty men in Pennsylvania who can write a better story than any Cobb ever produced, and yet the chances are that any such story sent to the N. Y. *Ledger* would be consigned to the stove, while the most contemptible balderdash with the name of Cobb attached would be liberally paid for.—*Vive la humbug!*

PIETY AND PATRIOTISM.—On Sunday evening, while the regular annual collection in aid of the funds of the missionary society of the Methodist E. Church was being taken up, at the Green-street M. E. Church, a gentleman arose in the gallery, and after speaking of the proper association of piety and patriotism, he stated that the members of the choir contributed twenty dollars for the purpose of making the gallant Major Anderson a life member of the missionary society. This announcement caused a sensation which had not subsided when the same gentleman again arose and stated that the ladies of the choir desired to contribute twenty dollars to make Mrs. Major Anderson a member of the society. He afterwards stated that the choir would give a like amount to make Lieteuant-General Winfield Scott a life member, and subsequently he said that as Mr. Buchanan had lately given evidence of a disposition to do his duty to the Constitution and the Union, they would also contribute the amount necessary to create him a life member.

The feeling thus started in the choir now extended to the body of the church. One lady began a subscription to make Governor Hicks, of Maryland, a life member, another contribution towards the amount necessary to make President Lincoln a member, and a gentleman in the congregation proposed the same compliment to Hon. Mr. Stephens, of Georgia. The secession spirit was at a dead discount among the congregation, for there was not a dissenting voice to these unusual proceedings.—*Phila. Press.*

HIGH FREASON.—Some of our enterprising fellow-citizens, who have been flourishing in the midst of the general commercial prostration of the past few months by selling arms and ammunition to the disaffected Southerners, may find themselves in an unpleasant predicament before the week is out. Judge Smalley of the United States District Court, this (Monday) morning, charged the United States Grand Jury on the crime of high treason, and defined that offence with great minuteness; after which he instructed the Grand Jury to inquire into the business of certain parties in this city, and to indict and present for trial all persons who have in any way assisted the South Carolinians, by supplying them with arms, ammunition, or other material of war, or by otherwise giving them aid and comfort in their armed resistance to the Government of the United States.—The Judge went even further than this, and directed the Grand Jury to present for trial all who had been aware of the giving of any treasonable assistance and had neglected to inform the proper authorities thereof. The charge made quite a sensation in the court room, as well it might.—*N. Y. Express.*

A NEW FRENCH VESSEL OF WAR.—A gunboat, on a new model, passed through Toulouse recently, coming from Bordeaux, and proceeded to Toulon, where she is to be prepared for sea. This boat is constructed on an entirely new model, of which the plan is said to have been given by the Emperor. It is composed of steel plates, and will be propelled by two screws, set in motion by a machine of fourteen horse power. It will carry but one piece of cannon. The boat is shaped like a tortois. The mouth of the cannon will pass just over the back of the fish, which will present an inclined plane to the enemy, over which the balls will slide. The crew will be completely sheltered under this roof, of which the force of resistance is so well calculated that the heaviest shot or shell cannot injure it.

PEN AND SCISSORS.

☞ Be not affronted at a jest. Salt thrown at you will do you no harm unless it strikes a sore spot.

☞ Three shocks of an earthquake were felt at Lancaster, Pa., on Sunday night, each accompanied with a heavy peal of thunder.

☞ Scurvey has already made its appearance in Kansas, superinduced by scantiness of food; the physicians there dread an epidemic from the same cause.

☞ At Rutland, Vermont, on Sunday morning, 13th inst., the thermometer fell to 24 deg. below zero; and at Middlebaugh, in same State, to 29 deg.

☞ The Emigrants landed at New York in 1860, numbered 103,621, bringing with them $7,975,000. The arrivals for 10 years foot up 2,131,437.

☞ "You want *nothing*, do you? said Pat. "Bedad, an' if it's *nothing* you want you'll find it in the jug where the whiskey was."

☞ On Saturday the steamer Ben Déford left Norfolk with 700 bales of cotton, and the Jamestown with 600 sales, both for New York.

☞ The second Wednesday in February, is the day fixed by law for counting the electoral votes in Congress, and declaring the election of President and Vice President of the United States.

☞ David Paul Brown, of Philadelphia, has been appointed to deliver the annual oration before the Washington and Jefferson Societies of the University of Virginia, on the 4th of July next, and has accepted.

☞ The Carlisle *Democrat*, published the first week after the Holidays contained 24 marriage notices, an evidence that the girls in that section made good use of the last week of "Leap Year."

☞ The other day a fight with bowie knives came off at West Point, Miss., between P. Cash and James Kinney, which resulted in the death of the former. Mr. Kinney, although nearly cut to pieces, will probably recover.

☞ The Richmond *Whig*, in view of the national crisis, urges the Legislature not to make any appropriations other than are absolutely necessary for carrying on the government, and advises that the work on all railroads be suspended at once.

☞ A very good institution has just been started in Cuba; an acclimating hospital, which is to receive new troops arriving in the island during the summer months. It is to be of capacity to receive a thousand men, and the situation chosen for it is most healthful.

☞ The Milwaukie *Sentinel* says the wool crop of Wisconsin, for 1860, is estimated by parties in the trade, who canvassed the State pretty thoroughly, at a million and a quarter pounds, against a yield of a million pounds in 1859, indicating an increase of 25 per cent. in the production of this article in one year.

☞ The South Carolina papers are discussing what shall be the name of the new confederacy. A correspondent of the *Mercury* suggests "Apalachia." One in the Columbia *Guardian* proposes "Columbia." The editor prefers the words "Southern Confederacy." A Virginia paper suggests "Washington."

☞ The Philadelphia *North American* has been publishing a "Page of Real Life," in which the member of the Legislature, from Huntingdon county occupies an unenviable position. As the affair will undergo legal investigation at next court in that country, we shall say no more about it at present.

☞ The center of population of Massachusetts is about one mile west of the State House, Boston. The center of the territory of Massachusetts is in the easterly part of the city of Worcester. Half the territory of the States is within forty-eight miles of Boston; half the population is within thirty miles, and half the property assessed is within about thirteen miles of that city.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Crying Babies!! Crying Babies!!!

A PRESENT FOR THE LITTLE ONES.

In consequence of the superiority of DR. EATON'S INFANTILE CORDIAL over every other preparation of the kind, the druggist of this town have almost all ordered and received a supply of it; so cheer up, Mothers! No more crying babies! Don't be put off with any other preparation by any druggist who may not have received Dr. Eaton's Infantile Cordial, or who may on account of getting some worthless article at a cheaper rate be more interested in selling it. Get the best; it is for sale in town—search till you find it.

Dr. Bronson's Blood Food, for diseases of the organs and all pulmonary complaints, is also for sale in town; and if any suffering from the above complaints neglect to try this preparation, they are guilty of suicide. There are five different Nos. of the Blood Food—all on the same principle, but graduated to the different deficiencies of the blood arising from the different organs affected. No. 1 is for Colds, Bronchitis, Consumption, and other chronic complaints arising from over-use, general debility, or nervous prostration. No. 2, for Liver Complaints. No. 3, for Dyspepsia. No. 4, Woman's Restorative. No. 5, Man's Regenerator. Ask for the No. you want. ☞ See Advertisement. For sale by A. Roush, Altoona, and C. D. Gott & Son, Philadelphia.

To Consumptives.

The advertiser, having been restored to health in a few weeks by a very simple remedy, after having suffered several years with a severe lung affection, and that dread disease consumption—is anxious to make known to his fellow sufferers the means of cure.

To all who desire it he will send a copy of the prescription used (free of charge,) with the directions for preparing and using the same, which they will find a sure cure for CONSUMPTION, ASTHMA, BRONCHITIS, &c. The only object of the advertiser in sending the Prescription is to benefit the afflicted, and spread information which he conceives to be invaluable, and he hopes every sufferer will try his remedy, as it will cost them nothing, and may prove a blessing.

Parties wishing the prescription will please address.

REV. EDWARD A. WILSON,
Williamsburgh,
Oct. 4, '60.—1y. King County, New York.

The American Medical and Toilet RECEIPT BOOK.

This book contains *Recipes* and *Directions* for making all the most valuable Medical preparations in use; also Recipes and full and explicit directions for making all the most popular and useful Cosmetics, Perfumes, Unguents, Hair Restoratives, and all Toilet Articles. If you are suffering with any chronic disease—if you wish a beautiful complexion, a fine head of hair, a smooth face, a clear skin, a luxuriant beard or moustache—or if you wish to know anything and everything in the Toilet and Medical line, you should, by all means, peruse a copy of this book. For full particulars, and a sample of the work for perusal, (free,) address the publisher, T. F. CHAPMAN,
Nov. 1-3m No. 831 Broadway, New York.

MRS. WINSLOW,

An experienced nurse and female physician, has a soothing Syrup for children teething, which greatly facilitates the process of teething, by sotening the gums, reducing all inflammation—will allay all pain, and is sure to regulate the bowels. Depend upon it, mothers, it will give rest to yourselves, and relief and health to your infants. Perfectly safe in all cases. See advertisement in another column

Dr. Velpeau's Cankerine.

DR. VELPEAU'S CANKERINE cures Putrid Sore Mouth.
DR. VELPEAU'S CANKERINE cures Sore Nipples.
DR. VELPEAU'S CANKERINE cures Ulcerated Sores.
DR. VELPEAU'S CANKERINE cures Cuts.
DR. VELPEAU'S CANKERINE cures Burns.
DR. VELPEAU'S CANKERINE cures Sores.
DR. VELPEAU'S CANKERINE cures Chapped Lips.
DR. VELPEAU'S CANKERINE cures Ulcerated Gums.
DR. VELPEAU'S CANKERINE is the best Purifier of the Breath of anything known.
DR. VELPEAU'S CANKERINE cures Canker in the Mouth, Throat, or Stomach, resulting from Scarlatina or Typhus Fevers.

Ladies, if you delight in pure white teeth, use the CANKERINE, and your desires will be realized. We pledge our word that it is entirely free from acids and all poisonous substances, and can be given to an infant with perfect safety. It will preserve the teeth and keep the gums free from ulcers. It is equally efficacious for nursing sore mouths. In all the thousands remedies that have been put forth for the cure of the various diseases above, none can equal the Cankerine. Sold by all druggists. Price 25 cents per bottle.

J. BURRILL & CO.,
Proprietors, 33 Maiden Lane, N. Y.

For sale in Altoona, by G. W. KESSLER.

To Consumptives.

And those afflicted with

DYSPEPSIA,
NERVOUS DEBILITY,
HEART DISEASE,
FEVER & AGUE, OR
CONSTIPATION.

The undersigned, now seventy-five years old, has for years devoted his time to curing his Parishioners and the poor in New York of these dreadful complaints, which carry thousands and thousands to an untimely grave; he has seldom failed to cure all who have applied to him for relief, and believing it to be a Christian's duty to relieve those abroad, as well as at home, he will send to those who require it, a copy of Prescriptions used, (Free of Charge), with directions for preparing and using the same. Also rules on Diet, Bathing, Ventilation, and Exercise for the Sick, they will find these remedies a sure cure for Consumption, and all diseases of the Throat and Lungs, Fever and Ague, Constipation, Heart Disease, Dyspepsia, Nervous Debility, and Female Complaints, and he hopes every one afflicted will send for a copy, as it will cost nothing, and those suffering should apply before it is too late. These Prescription are used by the most eminent Physicians in London, Paris, and New York. Those wishing them will please address REV. DR. CHAMBERLAIN.
Nov. 15,'60.-1y. Williamsburgh, New York.

Weakness of the Stomach and Indigestion.

Another Great Cure effected by Barhave's Holland Bitters.

The wife of Pieter De Witte, living in Holland Town, Sheboygan county, Wisconsin, suffered much from Weakness of the Stomach and Indigestion She had been under a physician's care for some time, but the disease seemed to baffle even his skill. She purchased some HOLLAND BITTERS at our office, which has given tone to her stomach; her appetite and strength are increasing, and we firmly believe that this is another great cure effected by your medicine.

We have still to record many wonderful cures effected by this remedy, but must wait another opportunity. One thing you can rely upon, what we have published are from persons much respected in our community, and are literally true. J. QUINTUS,
(Ed. Sheboygan Neutwabode, Sheboygan, Wis.)

☞ The peculiarities of the female constitution and the various to which the sex is subjected, demand an occasional recourse to stimulants. It is important, however, that these shall be of a harmless nature, and at the same time accomplish the desired end. Hostetter's Celebrated Stomach Bitters is the very article. Its effects in all cases of debility are almost magical. It restores the tone of the digestive organs, infuses fresh vitality into the whole system, and gives that cheerfulness to the temperament, which is the most valuable of feminine attractions. The proprietors feel flattered from the fact that many of the most prominent medical gentlemen in the Union have bestowed encomiums upon the Bitters, the virtues of which they have frequently tested and acknowledged. There are numerous counterfeits offered for sale, all of which are destitute of merit, and positively injurious to the system.

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A Book of Plain Rules and Calculations for Business Operations, by Martin M. Rohrer, Practical Surveyor and Conveyancer. New Edition, published by J. B. Lippincott & Co., Philadelphia.

This work contains 204 pages, and upwards of 500 Rules and Examples, entirely and thoroughly practical, such as arise every day in the common pursuits of Business. It has already passed through a number of editions in rapid succession, and is pronounced by all classes of business men to be the handiest book of reference, pertaining to calculations, that has ever been published.

Every example in the book is worked out in full and stated in a plain manner, so that when a parallel case arises, those referring to the work will find no difficulty in solving it; in a word, the general arrangement of the CALCULATOR is simple, that any one who knows how to add, subtract, multiply and divide, can easily solve any ordinary example that arises in business, or arrive at the true result of any estimate required.

The chief aim of the author has been to eschew theory and philosophy in figures, aiming only at facts and simplicity, believing that business men care little about spending time in discussing the philosophy of rules, or the science of figures, deeming it sufficient for their purpose to be abl[e]at a moment, by reference, to arrive at the true result. The CALCULATOR differs in this respect from all other Arithmetics of the day and kindred works—it is a key to practical business calculations—it is, in the hands of the business man, what the key to mathematical works is in the hands of the teacher in the school room—it facilitates time and ligures correctness.

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Measurement of Land, of Lumber, of Brick and Brick Work, of stone and stone work, of grain and grain bins, of coal and coal bins, of wood, of solids, of liquids, of circular, square or irregular vessels, of cisterns and vats, of ceiling, of plasterer's, painter's, glazier's, paver's, plumber's, paper hanger's and upholsterers' work. It treats of currency and of foreign and domestic exchange, of the decimal system, of reduction and its extended application to business, of simple and compound interest, and their entire application to business transactions, with the laws and usages governing and regulating the same, together with numerous commercial forms—of legal tender, of partial payment on notes, of banking and bank discount, of equation of payment and of partnership accounts, of assessment of taxes, of weights and measures, of square and cubic measure, of the square root and its application to business of surfaces, of excavation, and of many other important practical matters not within the scope of an advertisement to mention.

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Farmer, the merchant, the mechanic, the artisan, or the professional man. It has proven a valuable auxiliary to the lawyer, the justice of the peace, the conveyancer, and real estate broker, to the assessor, the banker, the clerk, to the civil engineer and the surveyor, to the carpenter and bricklayer, to the stonemason and the plasterer, to the paper hanger and upholsterer, to the paver and the tiller, &c., &c.; each and all will find it adapted to their various wants better than any book published.

☞ Mailed (cost paid) to any part of the United States, upon receipt of the money. Price of a single copy, in cloth, 00 cents, or two copies for $1,00. Bound in pocket-book form, morocco, $1,00 per copy.

M. M. ROHRER,
Address, Box 1911 Philadelphia P. O., Pa.
Dec 6, 1861-6m.]

"Opposition the Life of Trade."

This is true of almost every business, and the subscriber subscribing to that doctrine has opened a store in the building formerly occupied by him as a Justice office, on Virginia street, three doors above Julia street, where he has on hand a fine assortment of

HATS AND CAPS

of the latest and most fashionable styles, for men and boys,

BONNETS AND FLATS

FOR LADIES, MISSES AND CHILDREN,

Gloves, Hosiery, Ready-Made Shirts,

COLLARS FOR GENTS AND LADIES,

TRIMMINGS AND NOTIONS OF ALL KINDS,

STATIONARY, INK, PENS, &c., &c.

He invites a call, determined, by selling at a small profit and returning value for money, to merit patronage.

JOHN McCLELLAND.
Dec. 6, '60.-tf.

QUEENSWARE, JUST RECEIVED. A large and fashionable assortment at the store of J. B HILEMAN.

ABDOMINAL SUPPORTERS, Trusses and Shoulder Braces, for sale at G. W. KESSLER'S.
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Altoona Tribune.

ALTOONA MAIL SCHEDULE.

MAILS CLOSE.

Eastern Way .... 7 15 A. M.
Western Way .... 7 15 "
Hollidaysburg .... 7 15 and 11 00 "
Western Through .... 7 00 P. M.
Eastern Through .... 7 00 "

MAILS ARRIVE.

Hollidaysburg .... 7 30 and 11 10 A. M.
Western Through .... 7 45 "
Eastern Through .... 8 13 "
Western Way .... 11 20 "
Eastern Way .... 1 40 P. M.

OFFICE HOURS:—During the week, from 7 00 A. M. till 7 30 P. M. On Sundays, from 8 00 till 9 00 A. M.
JOHN SHOEMAKER, P. M.

RAILROAD SCHEDULE.

Express Train East	arrives 9,20 P. M.,	leaves 9,40 P. M.
" " West	" 8,13 A. M.	" 8,33 A. M.
Fast " East	" 7,45 A. M.,	" 8,00 A. M.
" " West	" 8,55 P. M.,	" 9,15 P. M.
Mail " East	" 11,20 A. M.	" 11,35 A. M.
" " West	" 1,30 P. M.,	" 1,45 P. M.

The HOLLIDAYSBURG BRANCH connects with all Trains East and West.
INDIANA BRANCH TRAINS connect with Johnstown Accommodation Train East and West, Mail Train East and West and Express Train East and West.
Nov. 26, 1860. ENOCH LEWIS, *Gen'l Supt.*

LOCAL ITEMS.

INFANTICIDE—FURTHER PATICULARS.—Further developements as to the cause of infanticide noticed by us last week, have transpired since we last went to press. It seems that the colored girl who committed the horrible act, implicated a respectable and well known citizen of this place, (whom it is not necessary to name) not only as father of the child but as accessory to the fact of the murder. This statement she made, not under oath, but in the first moment of feverish excitement, while undergoing an examination before the Justice and Coroner, thinking, perhaps, that it might in some way extenuate her own guilt, to say that another had persuaded her to the act. We learn, however, that she afterwards made a deliberate statement under *oath*, which entirely exculpated the person in question, and fixed the paternity of the child on a strolling painter, who is known to have stopped at the Altoona House for a short time last spring, about the time the child was begotten. She swears that she was never persuaded to the act of infanticide by any person, but that she did not know what she was saying, when she said she had been persuaded to it by the person above referred to. It is but justice to the gentleman in question to say, that the first statement of the girl implicating him, was from the first discredited by the community, and that the story seemed to bear its own refutation on its face; for she first stated that she destroyed the child, because she was a poor orphan girl, and did not know where to go or how to keep it, and *immediately afterwards* said that she was persuaded to it.

SECESSIONISTS BEWARE.—Capt. Smith, of the Johnstown *Echo*, says that he has used up a considerable quantity of ashes in cleaning his old musket, (which is minus a bayonet,) and, styling his office Ft. Anderson, in honor of that gallant officer, he warns secessionists not to come that way, as the Union must be preserved and his musket will help to preserve it. Good for you, Captain. But it is not likely that any of the secessionists will be around your way soon, therefore you will have to go to them if you and your musket would do anything towards preserving the Union; and here let us say that in case you can not find a bayonet for your musket, just call on us and you shall have one of Revolutionary memory—one which was lately disinterred in the neighborhood of an old Fort in this county, and about which divers tales of blood might be told. We desired to keep it as a relic of the "times that tried men's souls," but as we are likely soon to have times equal to those about which we read, we will deliver it willingly to one whom we know will use it well. Be sure and call for the bayonet, Captain.

ENEMIES.—Have you enemies? Go straight on and mind them not. If they block up your path, walk around them, and do your duty regardless of their spite. A man who has got no enemies is seldom good for anything—he is made out of that kind of material which is so easily worked and every one has his hand in it. A sterling character, one who speaks for himself, and speaks what he thinks, is always sure to have enemies. They are as necessary to him as fresh air; they keep him alive and active.—A celebrated character, who was surrounded with enemies used to remark: "They are sparks which, if you blow not, will go out themselves." Let this be your feeling, while endeavoring to live down the scandal of those who are bitter against you. If you stop to dispute, you do as they but desire, and open the way for more abuse. Let the poor fellow talk—there will be a reaction, if you perform your duty, and hundreds who were once alienated from you, will flock to you and acknowledge their error.

FIRE!—A fire broke out, on Tuesday morning last, in a two-story frame building, situated in East Altoona, occupied by a German named Poole. The building was entirely consumed, together with nearly all its contents. The fire originated from the pipe running through the ceiling, which was filled with shavings, and had been put out several times during the night.—We understand that Mr. P. states his loss to be near $500. The building was owned by a Mr. Glinn, residing in the neighborhood of Newry. The Good Will boys were promptly on the spot, but the house, being a light frame one, was soon enveloped in flames, and all their efforts to save it proved unavailing. We have not learned whether the building was insured.

SNOW AND SLEIGHING.—During the past week or two a considerable quantity of snow has fallen in this vicinity, and the sleighing is now most excellent. The boys are coasting down all the elevations in and around town, and cutters of all sizes and shapes are in demand. We like to see boys enjoy themselves, but we think they should exercise a little more care to prevent accidents.

WARLIKE.—The Juniata Rifles, of this place, among other resolutions passed on the 8th inst., adopted one tendering their services to the Commander-in-Chief. Judging from present appearances, there is a strong probability that their offer will not go a begging.—*Standard.*

CENSUS OF BLAIR COUNTY.—Through the kindness of Mr. Blair we have procured the following table from the Census department at Washington. It may, therefore, be relied on as accurate. It will be seen our county foots up a white population of 27,554,—to which add a colored population of 275, and we have an aggregate of 27,829. The colored folks are distributed as follows:—In Allegheny tp. 7, Altoona 45, Blair 5, Gaysport 14, Hollidaysburg 115, Logan 21, Martinsburg 8, N. Woodberry 1, Tyrone Bor. 34, Tyrone tp. 8, Williamsburg 17.—It will be noticed also, that on the part of the whites the number of males exceed the number of females no less than 584! And the greatest disparity is in Hollidaysburg—94!—showing that there is a fine opening here for "gals." In Altoona the difference is only 6;—and Tyrone city and Blair townships have the distinguished honor of possessing more of "Heaven's last best gift to man" than of man himself—Tyrone having a female excess of 7, and Blair tp. of 16!—Now scan the table:—

	Males.	Females.	Total.
Allegheny,	840	802	1642
Altoona,	1780	1776	3546
Antis,	1131	1073	2204
Blair,	577	594	1171
Catharine,	414	401	815
Frankstown,	705	658	1363
Freedom,	400	392	792
Gaysport Borough,	280	307	587
Greenfield Township,	564	535	1099
Hollidaysburg Borough,	1224	1130	2354
Huston Township,	628	586	1214
Juniata,	280	265	545
Logan,	1297	1220	2517
Martinsburg Borough,	234	222	456
North Woodberry Tp.	460	446	906
Snyder,	756	666	1422
Taylor,	574	576	1137
Tyrone City Borough,	350	357	707
Tyrone Township,	517	500	1017
Williamsburg,	400	381	781
Woodberry,	658	621	1279
	14069	13485	27554

P. S. It will be seen from the above table, which we copy from the Hollidaysburg *Register*, that a good portion of Altoona, (which is not included in the borough proper,) known as Loudonsville, is counted with the population of Logan township.

MARRYING IN FUN.—One evening last week, says the *Erie City Dispatch*, a party of young folks assembled at a house in Green Township, and in their general fun a proposition to marry was entertained by two parties who had then for the first time met. In carrying out the joke it was suggested that the ceremony be immediately performed—the preacher residing near by. They went to the house of the minister to consumate the joke, found the reverend gentleman in bed, awoke him and had the ceremony performed in the spirit of a joke, paid the fee in a joke, but the best part of the joke is that they have since learned that the marriage was legally performed and is binding upon the parties engaged theirin. We presume that the parties, who are both respectable, will mend matters by taking it down and eventually assuming in earnest what was intended as jest—the true relationship of man and wife—at least such would be our advice. The gentleman is named Doane, a resident of New York State, and the lady is a Miss Wheeler, residing below Waterford. This is a warning to folks who are fond of jesting and especially in affairs of such deep moment as the ceremony of marriage.

TENDER OF SERVICES.—We have been handed the following, which explains itself:—

At a meeting of the Logan Rifle Rangers, held in their armory on Friday evening, January 11, 1861, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:—

Resolved, That we as a company of Riflemen offer our services to the General Government.

Resolved, That we fire thirty-three guns in honor of Major Anderson.

A. H. STEWART, *Sec'y.*

MEETING.—The annual meeting of the Blair County Medical Society will be held in Hollidaysburg, at the American House, on Monday, the 28th day of January, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the election of officers for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting.

PASSAGE OF TROOPS.—The troops ordered east from Ft. Leavenworth passed through this place on Thursday night last. The force comprised 232 equipped men and 127 horses, filling 23 cars. A portion of this force has been placed in Fort McHenry and the balance have been sent to Washington City.

REMOVAL.—S. M. Woodkok, Esq., has removed his law office to Annie Street, 3 doors above the Post Office, where he will be pleased to see all persons who may have business with him.

COLD WEATHER.—Sunday morning last was the coldest we have yet had this season. The thermometer in this place indicated about 10 degrees below zero.

Trial List for January Term, 1861.

FIRST WEEK.

James J. Dull vs. Margery O'Friel, Jr.
E. J. Bollinger vs. Downs & Co.
Hays & Son vs. Kirkpatrick & Son.
E. J. Leamer vs. W. K. Hemphill & Co.
Joseph Dysart vs. B. O'Friel's heirs.
Ann Bell vs. A. Pattenson & al.
S. S. Barr vs. Samuel Henchy.
T. Banks vs. F. W. Rauch.
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SECOND WEEK.

Charles Hughes vs. G. L. Lloyd.
Mary Lowry vs. Same.
George Wehn vs. Jane Beals.
John Cresswell vs. A. McClain & al.
McNamara's heirs vs. Jackson's admr.
C. Geber's Exr. vs. Shoenberger's Exrs.
Same vs. A. P. Wilson.
Henry McMullin vs. A. McClain.
Jacob Ressles vs. Shoenberger's Exrs.
David Good vs. D. Watson et al.
C. Stewart vs. Penn'a R. R. Co.
Andrews & McClain vs. Thomas Mays.
J. P. Brinton vs R. M. Lemon & al.
J. Brotherline vs. Hagerty & Harmon.
A. M. & R. White vs. R. M. Lemon & Co.
C. H. F. Hench vs. Jacob Good.
D. K. Reamey vs. J. A. McCahan.
Eliz. S. Lytle vs. Joseph Steel.
John Wall vs. G. W. Reed & al.
G K & J H Shoenberger vs. E F Shoenberger.
John Miller vs. A. McFadden.
William Masden vs. Michael Grabrill.
Kline & Carroll vs. Wm. Casey.
Cornelius Wendell vs. A. M. & R. White & Co.
Lorenz & Leamer vs. J. L. Hemphill & al.
Martha Royer vs. Saml E. Milliken & al.
G. W. Mauk vs. M. B. Lingenfelter.
A. Byers & al. vs. Evan Williams.
J. S. Medara & al. vs. J. Brotherline.
Henry Irvin vs. John Shoemaker.
McLanahan Watson & Co. vs. J. Brotherline.

JOS. BALDRIGE, Prot.

DIED.

In Hollidaysburg, on the 5th inst., NANCY JANE, daughter of Jacob and Nancy F. Weidensall, aged 13 years, 1 month and 21 days.

In Schellsburg, Bedford county, on the 24th ult., Dr. M. L. ALLISON, eldest surviving son of Rev. M. Allison, of Mifflintown, Juniata county, in the 30th year of his age.

To Consumers of Gas.

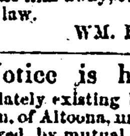
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT 10 per cent. will positively be added to all Gas bills, if not paid within 5 days after presentation.
Office of Treasurer at Gen'l Superintendents office, Pa. R. R. Co. Hours from 8 to 12 A. M., and 2 to 5 P. M.
R. F. ROSE, *Treasurer.*

DISSOLUTION.—NOTICE IS HEREBY given that the partnership heretofore existing between Susan McMullen, Elizabeth McMullen and Mrs. Sarah Holler, (now Mrs. Milliron) trading under the firm of S. McMullen & Co., was dissolved on the 4th day of January, 1861, by the withdrawal of Mrs. Milliron from the firm. The business will be continued as heretofore, by the Misses McMullin's under the firm of S. McMullin & Co.
SUSAN McMULLIN,
ELIZABETH McMULLIN,
SARAH MILLIRON.
Altoona, Jan. 17th, 1861-3t.

NOTICE!—ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY warned against purchasing or in any way receiving the three following described PROMISSORY NOTES, drawn by Richard McLain and Joseph Berkowitz in favor of John D. Veach or order, payable at the "Banking House of Wm. M. Lloyd & Co.," each dated the 7*th of January*, 1861; one being drawn for $125,00, payable nine days after date; one for $275.00, payable sixty days after date; and one for $400.00, payable ninety days after date—as these notes were given by us for the payment of money on a contract, which is colorable and fraudulent.—All persons are notified that we shall not pay them unless required by law.
RICHARD McLAIN.
Jan. 14, '60. JOSEPH BERKOWITZ.

PORK & LARD FOR SALE.

THE SUBSCRIBER HAS ON hand about 24,000 lbs. of PORK and 4,000 lbs. of LARD, which he will sell in quantities to suit purchasers. He will sell Lard by the Barrel at 10 cents ₩ lb.—by the Can of 50 or 75 lbs weight at 12½ cents ₩ lb, and by the small at 14 cents ₩ lb.
Altoona, Jan. 10, '61-tf M. RUNYAN.

ESTRAY.—CAME TO THE RESIDENCE of the subscriber, in Logan township, some time during last fall, a White and Brown spotted BULL CALF, about one year old. No other distinguishable marks about him. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take him away, otherwise he will be disposed of according to law.

Jan. 10, 1861.-3t WM. BELL.

DISSOLUTION.—Notice is hereby given that the Partnership lately existing between John D. Veach and Richard McLain, of Altoona, under the firm of VEACH & CO., was dissolved by mutual consent on the 7th day of January, 1861. All debts owing said partnership are to be received by said Richard McLain, and all demands on the said partnership are to be presented to him for payment, at the business house of the late firm, where the business will be continued by Richard McLain. All persons indebted to said firm, or having claims against it, are requested to make immediate settlement.
JOHN D. VEACH.
Jan. 10, 1861-3t RICHARD McLAIN.

BOOT & SHOE ESTABLISHMENT.

THE UNDERSIGNED ANNOUNCE to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that they have opened a

BOOT AND SHOE SHOP

On JULIA STREET, 1 *door above Winters' Tin Shop, East Altoona*, where they will keep on hand a good assortment of Boots and Shoes of *their own manufacture.*
☞ Particular attention given to making *Ladies' Shoes, Gaiters, &c.* They invite a share of public patronage, feeling satisfied that they can render entire satisfaction.
Altoona, Jan. 10, '61-tf WM. BOELL & CO.

OFFICE ALTOONA GAS & WATER CO., ALTOONA, Dec. 24, 1860.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS have this day declared a dividend of THREE PER CENT. on the Capitol Stock of the Company, clear of State Tax, payable on and after January 1st, 1861.
Powers of Attorney for collection of dividends can be had on application at the office of the Treasurer, (Sup't Office, Penn'a R. R.)
Transfer Books will be closed on the 27th of December, and remain closed until the 3d of January, 1861.
Dec. 27, '60-4t. R. F. ROSE, *Treasurer.*

SOMETHING NEW.

THE SUBSCRIBER HAS JUST returned from the east where he has purchased a very large and fine stock of

BOOTS & SHOES,

Brogans, Gaiters, &c.,

which he is prepared to offer to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity at very low prices. Having purchased direct from the manufacturers for cash, he is prepared to sell at prices that will defy competition. All that he asks is that the people will call and examine his stock before purchasing elsewhere.
☞ BOOTS and SHOES made to order on the most reasonable terms. Also, repairing promptly attended to.
Don't forget the place, two doors below Post Office.
Jan. 3, 1861. M. THOMPSON, *Agent.*

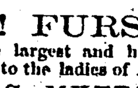
IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF BLAIR COUNTY.
Daniel H. Newhard vs. Mary E. Newhard. } No. 72, July term, 1860. LIBEL IN DIVORCE.
And now, 22d Oct. 1860, the alias subpœna having been returned by the Sheriff, and proof having been made, that the Respondent cannot be found in said county, the Court do now order that the Sheriff cause notice to be published for four weeks, successfully, prior to the fourth Monday of January next, requiring said respondent to appear on said day to answer the complaint of said Libellant. By the County. JOS. BALDRIDGE, *Prot.*
Mary E. Newhard, the Respondent above named, is hereby notified to appear on the day above named, as required by the act of Assembly and the order of the Court, and answer the complaint of the Libellant.
JAMES FUNK, *Sh'ff.*
SHERIFF'S OFFICE, Hollidaysburg, Dec. 24, 1860. } Jan. 3d, '60-4t.

ALWAYS IN SEASON!
The undersigned would inform his old customers and the public generally, that he has just returned from the East with his fall stock, which is the

LARGAST OF THE KIND

ever brought to this place. He has every variety in

Price, Size and Quality, of

MEN AND BOYS'  HATS AND CAPS,

For Fall and Winter Wear.

Also, all sizes, colors, shapes, and qualities of Ladies and Misses and Children's HATS and FLATS, to which the attention of those in want of anything in this line is specially invited.

FURS! FURS! FURS!

I have now the largest and handsomest assortment of Furs ever offered to the ladies of Altoona, embracing

CAPES, MUFFS, CUFFS,

and everything in that line, for Ladies and Children, of American and European manufacture, and of every quality of Furs.
Persons in want of anything in the above line, will please give me a call before purchasing elsewhere, as I am determined to sell at the very lowest possible prices.
Store on Virginia street, opposite the Lutheran church.
Altoona, Oct. 4, 1860-tf. JESSE SMITH.

HO! FOR THE HOLIDAYS!

THE UNDERSIGNED ANNOUNCES to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he has just received a large invoices of

Fruit, Confectionaries, Nuts, Spices

and notions for children &c., expressly for the Holidays.
He will also keep always on hand a good stock of plain and fancy cakes, of his own manufacture.

LEMONS, PRUNES, RAISINS &C.,

always on hand at all seasons of the year.

Coffee, Teas, Sugar, Molasses, Butter,

EGGS, GOOD WHITE WHEAT FLOUR,

BUCKWHET FLOUR, CORN MEAL, &C.,

always in store and for sale in large or small quantities.
Call, examine and price my stock and you will find it as good and cheap as any in town.
Dec. 20, '60-1y.] JACOB WISE.

ROBES! ROBES!
Just received a fine lot of Buffalo Robes, which we will sell at from $4 to $10 a piece. Two doors below the Post Office. M. THOMPSON, *Agent.*
Jan. 3, 1861.

FOR SALE.—A HOUSE AND LOT, desirably located in the Borough of Altoona. Apply to JOHN SHOEMAKER.
Altoona, Feb. 9, 1860.-tf.

TWO SMALL HOUSES AND LOTS for sale. Apply to JOHN SHOEMAKER. Sept. 20, 1860-tf. At the Post Office.

MISCELLANEOUS.

THE AMALGAMATION OF LANGUAGES.—There is a growing tendency in this age to appropriate the most expressive words of other languages, and after a while to incorporate them into our own; thus the word Cephalic, which is from the Greek, signifying "for the head," is now becoming popularized in connection with Mr. Spalding's great Headache remedy, but it will soon be used in a more general way, and the word Cephalic will become as common as Electrotype and many others whose distinction as foreign words has been worn away by common usage until they seem "native and to the manor born."

'ardly Realized.

Hi 'ad 'n 'orrible 'eadache this hafternoon, hand I stepped into the hapothecaries hand says hi to the man, "Can you hease me of an 'eadache?" "Does it hache 'ard," says 'e. "Hexceedingly," says hi, hand upon that 'e gave me a Cephalic Pill, hand 'pon me 'onour it cured me so quick that I 'ardly realized I 'ad 'ad an 'eadache.

☞ Headache is the favorite sign by which nature makes known any deviation whatever from the natural state of the brain, and viewed in this light it may be looked on as a safeguard intended to give notice of disease which might otherwise escape attention, till too late to be remedied; and its indications should never be neglected. Headaches may be classified under two names, viz: Symptomatic and Idopathic. Symptomatic Headache is exceedingly common and is the precursor of a great variety of diseases, among which are Apoplexy, Gout, Rheumatism and all febrile diseases. In its nervous form it is sympathetic of disease of the stomach constituting *sick headache*, of hepatic disease constituting *bilious headache*, of worms, constipation and other disorders of the bowels, as well as renal and uterine affections. Diseases of the heart are very frequently attended with Headaches; Anæmia and plethora are also affections which frequently occasion headache. Idiopathic Headache is also very common, being unusually distinguished by the name of *nervous headache*, sometimes coming on suddenly in a state of apparently sound health and prostrating at once the mental and physical energies, and in other instances it comes on slowly, heralded by depression of spirits or acerbity of temper. In most instances the pain is in the front of the head, over one or both eyes, and sometimes provoking vomiting; under this class may also be named *Neuralgia.*

For the treatment of either class of Headache the Cephalic Pills have been found a sure and safe remedy, relieving the most acute pains in a few minutes, and by its subtle power eradicating the diseases of which Headache is the unerring index.

BRIDGET.—Missus wants you to send her a box of Cephalic Glue, no, a bottle of Prepared Pills,—but I'm thinking that's not just it naither; but perhaps ye'll be afther knowing what it is. Ye see she's nigh dead and gone with the Sick Headache, and wants some more of that same as relaived her before.

Druggist.—You must mean Spalding's Cephalic Pills.

Bridget.—Och! sure now and you've sed it, here's the quarther and give me the Pills and don't be all day about it aither.

Constipation of Costiveness.

No one of the "many ills flesh is heir to" is so prevalent, so little understood, and so much neglected as Costiveness. Often originating in carelessness, or sedentary habits; it is regarged as a slight disorder of too little consequence to excite anxiety, while in reality it is the precursor and companion of many of the most fatal and dangerous diseases, and unless early eradicated it will bring the sufferer to an untimely grave. Among the lighter evils of which costiveness is the usual attendant are Headache, Colic, Rheumatism, Foul Breath, Piles and others of like nature, while a long train of frightful diseases such as Malignant Fevers, Abcesses, Dysentary, Diarrhœa, Dyspepsia, Apoplexy, Epilepsy, Paralysis, Hysteria, Hypochondriasis, Melancholy and Insanity, first indicate their presence in the system by this alarming sympton. Not unfrequently the diseases named originate in Constipation, but take on an independent existence unless the cause is eradicated in an early stage. From all these considerations it follows that the disorder should receive immediate attention whenever it occurs, and no person should neglect to get a box of Cephalic Pills on the first appearance of the complaint, as their timely use will expel the insiduous approaches of disease and destroy this dangerous foe to human life.

A Real Blessing.

Physician,—Well, Mrs. Jones, how is that headache?

Mrs. Jones.—Gone! Doctor, all gone! the pill you sent cured me in just twenty minutes, I wish you would send more so that I can have them handy.

Physician.—You can get them at any Druggist. Call for Cephalic Pills, I find they never fail, and I recommend them in all cases of Headache.

Mrs. Jones.—I shall send for a box directly, and shall tell all my suffering friends, for they are a *real blessing.*

TWENTY MILLIONS OF DOLLARS SAVED.—Mr. Spalding has sold two millions of bottles of his celebrated Prepared Glue and it is estimated that each bottle saves at least ten dollars worth of broken furniture, thus making an aggregate of twenty millions of dollars reclaimed from total loss by this valuable invention. Having made his Glue a household word, he now proposes to do the world still greater service by curing all the aching heads with his Cephalic Pills, and if they are as good as his Glue, Headaches will soon vanish away like snow in July.

☞ Over excitement, and the mental care and anxiety incident to close attention to business or study, are among the numerous cases of Nervous Headache. The disordered state of mind and body incident to this distressing complaint is a fatal blow to all energy and ambition. Sufferers by this disorder can always obtain speedy relief from these distressing attacks by using one of the Cephalic Pills whenever the symptoms appear. It quiets the overtasked brain, and soothes the strained and jarring nerves, and relaxes the tension of the stomach which always accompanies and aggravates the disordered condition of the brain.

FACT WORTH KNOWING.—Spalding's Cephalic Pills are a certain cure for Sick Headache, Bilious Headache Nervous Headache, Costiveness and General Debility.

GREAT DISCOVERY.—Among the most important of all the great medical discoveries of this age may be considered the system of vaccination for protection from Small Pox, the Cephalic Pill for relief of Headache, and the use Quinine for the prevention of Fevers, either of which is a sure specific, whose benefits will be experienced by suffering humanity long after their discoverers are forgotten.

☞ Did you ever have the Sick Headache? Do you remember the throbbing temples, the fevered brow, the loathing and disgust at the sight of food. How totally unfit you were for pleasure, conversation or study. One of the Cephalic Pills would have relieved you from all the suffering which you then experienced. For this and other purpose you should always have a box of them on hand to use as occasion requires.

Cephalic Pills
CURE
Sick Headache
CURE
Nervous Headache
CURE
All kinds of
Headache.

By the use of these Pills the periodic attacks of *Nervous or sick Headache* may be prevented; and if taken at the commencement of an attack immediate relief from pain and sickness will be obtained.

They seldom fail in removing the *Nausea* and *Headache* to which females are so subject.

They act gently upon the bowels,—removing *Costiveness.*

For *Literary Men, Students*, Delicate Females, and all persons of *sedentary habits*, they are valuable as a *Laxative*, improving the *appetite*, giving *tone* and *vigor* to the digestive organs, and restoring the natural elasticity and strength of the whole system.

The CEPHALIC PILLS are the result of long investigation and carefully conducted experiments, having been in use many years, during which time they have prevented and relieved a vast amount of pain and suffering from Headache, whether originating in the nervous system or from a deranged state of the stomach.

They are entirely vegetable in their composition, and may be taken at all times with pefect safety without making any change of direr, *and the absence of any disagreeable taste renders it easy to administer them to children.*

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The genuine have five signatures of Henry C. Spalding on each Box.

Sold by Druggists and all other Dealers in Medicines.

A Box will be sent by mail prepared on receipt of the

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HENRY C. SPALDING,
Nov. 15, '60.-1y.] 48 Cedar Street New York.

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AROMATIC
SCHIEDAM SCHNAPPS
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Sole Agent for Philadelphia.

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ENORMOUS BUSINESS FOR ONE NEW YORK MERCHANT.—We are happy to inform our fellow-citizens that there is one place in our city where the physician, apothecary, and country merchant, can go and purchase pure Wines and Liquors, as pure as imported, and of the best quality. We do not intend to give an elaborate description of this merchant's extensive business, although it will well repay any stranger or citizen to visit Udolpho Wolfe's extensive warehouse, Nos. 18, 20 and 22, Beaver street, and Nos. 17, 19 and 21, Marketfield street. His stock of Schnapps on hand ready for shipment could not have been less than thirty thousand cases; the Brandy, some ten thousand cases—Vintages of 1836 to 1856; and ten thousand cases of Madeira, Sherry and Port Wine, Scotch and Irish Whiskey, Jamaica and St. Croix Rum, some very old and equal to any in this country. He also had three large cellars, filled with Brandy, Wine, &c., in casks, under Custom-House key, ready for bottling. Mr. Wolfe's sales of Schnapps last year amounted to one hundred and eighty thousand dozen, and we hope in less than two years he may be equally successful with his Brandies and Wines.

His business merits the patronage of every lover of his species. Private families who wish pure Wines and Liquors for medical use should send their orders direct to Mr. Wolfe, until every Apothecary in the land make up their minds to discard the poisonous stuff from their shelves, and replace it with Wolfe's pure Wines and Liquors.

We understand that Mr. Wolfe, for the accommodation of small dealers in the country, puts up assorted cases of Wines and Liquors. Such a man, and such a merchant, should be sustained against his tens of thousands of opponents in the United States, who sell nothing but imitations, ruinous alike to human health and happiness.

For sale by A. ROUSH. [Sept. 13, 1860-6m.is.

CHILDREN
TEETHING

MRS. WINSLOW, AN EXPERIENCED NURSE AND FEMALE PHYSICIAN, presents to the attention of mothers her

SOOTHING SYRUP,
FOR CHILDREN TEETHING,

which greatly facilitates the process of teething, by softening the gums reducing all inflammation will allay pain and spasmodic action, and is *sure to regulate the Bowels.*

Depend upon it mothers, it will give rest to yourselves, and *Relief and Health to your Infants.*

We have put up and sold this article for over ten years, and can say, in confidence and truth of it, what we have never been able to say of any other medicine—never has it failed, in a single instance, to effect a cure, when timely used. Never did we know an instance of dissatisfaction by any one who used it. On the contrary, all are delighted with its operations, and speak in terms of highest commendation of its magical effects and medical virtues. We speak in this matter "what we do know," after ten years' experience, and pledge our reputation for the fulfilment of what we here declare. In almost every instance where the infant is suffering from pain and exhaustion, relief will be found in fifteen or twenty minutes after the syrup is administered.

This valuable preparation is the prescription of one of the most experienced and skillful nurses in New England, and has been used with never-failing success in *thousands of cases.*

It not only relieves the child from pain, but invigorates the stomach and bowels, corrects acidity, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. It will almost instantly relieve *Griping in the Bowels and Wind Colic*, and overcome convulsions, which, if not *speedily* remedied, end in death. We believe it the *best* and *surest remedy* in the world, in all cases of Dysentery and Diarrhœa in children, whether it arises from teething or from any other cause.—We would say to every mother who has a child suffering from any of the foregoing complaints—do not let your prejudices, nor the prejudices of others, stand between your suffering child and the relief that will be sure—yes, absolutely sure—to follow the use of this medicine, if timely used. Full directions for using will accompany each bottle. None genuine unless the fac-simile of CURTIS & PERKINS, New-York, is on the outside wrapper.

Sold by Druggists throughout the world, and by G. W. Kessler and A. Roush, druggists, Altoona. Price 25 cents per bottle.

☞ Principal Office, No. 13 Cedar street, N. Y.
July 12, 1860.-1y.

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AT THE
"MODEL STORE!"

WE ARE HAPPY TO INFORM our friends that we are again on hands with an unusually large stock of

FALL GOODS,

which we think have been bought at prices that will enable us to compete with any other house in this section of country. We have now on hands a larger stock of fine Goods than has heretofore been brought to this place and we hope the ladies will appreciate our efforts to please their tastes by calling and looking at our stock, which we take pleasure in showing. We have many novelties in Dress Goods, among some of which are the following.

Wool Delaines, Mohair Mixtures, Oriental Lustres, Palestors, Brocade Mohairs, Silk Brilliants, Silk Poplins, Brocade Poplins, Chene Valencies, Rep Poplins, Figured Cashmeres, Mottled Merinos, Wool Plaids, Fig. French Merinos, Plain do.

Together with a full stock of all kinds of Domestic and Staple Dry Goods, Cloaking, Cloths, Cassimeres, Satinetts, Tweeds, &c. Ladies, Misses and Children's Shawls, Cloaks and Cloth Dusters, Hosiery, Gloves, Woolen Goods, Carpets Oil Cloths, Bed Comforts, Blankets, &c., &c.

We ask particular attention to our present stock of

BOOTS AND SHOES,

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In a word, we think our present stock of Goods worth an examination by persons wishing to buy, and cordially invite our friends to drop in and see us.
Oct. 4, 1860. J. & J. LOWTHER.

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The information in them is not to be found in any works published, nor obtainable from any other source. These books are published on fine white paper, and beautifully bound.

Any of the above works will be mailed free, on receipt of price, in stamps, or money; or the whole in a handsomely bound volume for ONE DOLLAR. No family should be without them. They are illustrated with beautiful engravings, and contain the condensed experience of years.

AGENTS WANTED for the above works, who can make $150 a month. Send for a circular for agents.

To the young of both sexes suffering from secret habits; prostration of mind; loss of power; nervous debility; loss of sight; wakefulness; love of solitude; eruptions on the face, &c., &c. *Send before it is too late*; before you suffer incurable damage to both body and mind.

To Females who want *safe, pleasant* and *sure* remedies for Irregularities, Obstructions, Whites, &c., send to us.

PREVENTIVE.

We are convinced that there are many parents of scrofulous, consumptive and diseased condition to whom a numerous offspring only brings suffering and poverty. To such we would say write, and we will send information of a sure, well-tested, and never-failing PREVENTIVE.

We will mail free, to any one applying for it,

THE JOURNAL OF MEDICAL REFORM.

It is a large and beautiful paper, and contains the most valuable information on Spermatorhœa, or Seminal Weakness. The cause, effects and cure, showing the awful effects of the disease,

On all other diseases of the Sexual Organs, a full explanation of the origin of Syphilis, the means of prevention and cure.

On Consumption, that fearful disease.
On the Liver, Heart, Stomach and Skin.
On Female Complaints.
On the various Schools of Medicines.
On the modes of Treatment now practised.
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On the Physiology of Marriage.
On the Common sense of Medicine.
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And many other things. SEND FOR IT.

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M. A. BERNEY, Secretary,
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Nov. 15, 1860.-1y

THE
ONLY DISCOVERY
Worthy of any Confidence
FOR RESTORING
THE BALD AND GRAY.

Many, since the great discovery of Prof. Wood, have attempted not only to imitate his restorative, but profess to have discovered something that would produce results identical; but they have all come and gone, being carried away by the wonderful results of Prof. Wood's preparation, and have been forced to leave the field to its resistless sway.—Read the following:—

BATH, Me., April 18th, 1859.

Prof. O. J. WOOD & Co.: Gents:—The letter I wrote you in 1856 concerning your valuable Hair Restorative, and which you have published in this vicinity and elsewhere, has given rise to numerous inquiries touching the facts in the case. The enquiries are, first, is it a fact of my habitation and name, as stated in the communication; second, is it true of all therein contained; third, does my hair still continue to be in good order and of natural color? To all I can and do answer invariably yes. My hair is even better than in any stage of my life for 40 years past, more soft, thrifty and better colored; the same is true of my whiskers, and the only cause why it is not generally true, is that the substance is washed off by frequent ablution of the face, when if care were used by wiping the face in close connection with the whiskers, the same result will follow as the hair. I have been in the receipt of a great number of letters from all parts of New England, asking me if my hair still continues to be good; as there is so much fraud in the manufacture and sale of various compounds as well as this, it has, no doubt, been basely imitated and been used not only without any good effect, but to absolute injury.—I have not used any of your Restorative of any account for some months, and yet my hair is as good as ever, and hundreds have examined it with surprise, as I am now 61 years old and not a gray hair in my head or on my face; and to prove this fact, I send you a lock of my hair taken off the past week. I received your favor of two quart bottles last summer, for which I am very grateful. I gave it to my friends and thereby induced them to try it, many were skeptical until after trial, and then purchased and used it with universal success. I will ask as a favor, that you send me a test by which I can discover fraud in the Restorative, sold by many, I fear, without authority from you. A pure article will insure success, and I believe where good effects do not follow, the failure is caused by the impure article, which curses the inventor of the good. I deem it my duty as heretofore, to keep you apprised of the continued effect on my hair, as I assure all who enquire of me of my unshaken opinion of its valuable results. I remain, dear sir, yours, A. C. RAYMOND.

AARONS RUN, Ky., Nov. 30, 1858.

PROF. O. J. WOOD: Dear Sir:—I would certainly be doing you a great injustice not to make known to the world, the wonderful, as well as unexpected result I have experienced from using one bottle of your Hair Restorative. After using every kind of Restoratives extant, but without success, and finding my head nearly destitute of hair, I was finally induced to try a bottle of your Hair Restorative. Now, candor and justice compel me to announce to whoever may read this, that I now possess a new and beautiful growth of hair, which I pronounce richer and handsomer than the original was. I will therefore take occasion to recommend this invaluable remedy to ALL who may feel the necessity of it. Resp'y you s, REV. S. ALLEN BROCK.

P. S.—This testimonial of my approbation for your valuable medicine (as you are aware of) is unsolicited, but if you think it worthy a place among the rest, insert if you wish; if not destroy and say nothing.
Yours, &c., Rev S A B.

The Restorative is put up in bottles of three sizes, viz: large, medium and small; the small holds ½ a pint and retails for one dollar per bottle; the mediums hold at least twenty per cent more in proportion than the small, retails for two dollars per bottle; the large holds a quart, 40 per cent. more in proportion and retails for $3 a bottle. O. J. WOOD & CO., Proprietors, 444 Broadway, New York, and 114 Market street, St. Louis, Mo. And sold by all good Druggists and Fancy Goods Dealers. [Dec. 6, '60-3m.

Great Rush to "DAN'S,"

THE OLD FREIGHT CONDUCTOR'S

Cheap Clothing Store,

In Kessler's old Drug Store, on Virginia St.

"DAN" IS DETERMINED NOT to be out-done by any one in the sale of

READY-MADE CLOTHING

and other Notions. He has a large stock of Overcoats, of the best quality and latest styles, black and fancy and plain and fancy *SILK VESTS*, Frock and Dress *COATS* and *PANTS*, of every color, quality and style, for men and boys.

Gents Shawls, Hats, Caps, Boots and Shoes of every style, quality and price for old and young, Ladies fine Dress and Morocco Boots, Men's Morocco lace Boots, Ladies and Misses' Gaiters, and a great variety of Children's Shoes, Ladies Nolies, Children's fancy Hats and Hoods, Gent's Shirts, Undershirts and Drawers, Collars, Gloves, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs; Ladies' Gloves, Mitts, Hosiery, &c., in great variety.

Also, a large assortment of CARPETING of all styles and prices, various patterns of Oil Cloths, Table Covers, Blankets, Muslin, Sheeting, Trunks, Carpet Bags, Valises Ladies' Morocco Sachels, Umbrellas, Parasols, &c. Also,

WATCHES AND JEWELRY

of every description, such as Breast Pins, Ear-Rings, Finger Rings, Lockets, Bracelets, Gold and Silver Fob Chains, Children's Gold and Coral Tuck-ups, Gent's Shirt Studs, Ladies and Gent's Sleeve Buttons, silver Table and Tea Spoons, Portmonaies, Pocket Knives, Pistols, Pocket, Side and Back Combs; Tooth, Hair and Clothes Brushes; Soaps and Toilet Articles, &c., &c., all of which will be sold at the *lowest prices*. Be sure and call at "Dan's" before you go elsewhere and you will save money.

D. LAUGHMAN, *Agent*.

Altoona, Oct. 4, 1860.-3m

NEW STOCK OF

FALL AND WINTER GOODS AT HILEMAN'S.

THE SUBSCRIBER INFORMS HIS customers, and the public generally, that he has just received a large and beautiful assortment of

FALL AND WINTER GOODS,

which, for magnificence, extent and variety, have never before been excelled in Blair county. Particular attention is invited to our stock of

LADIES' DRESS GOODS,

Such as Black and Fancy Silks, Challies, Bereges, Brilliants, Lawns, Delaines, Chintzs, DeBeges, Crapes, Prints, Crape and Stella Shawls, Mantillas, Undersleeves and Hosiery, Bonnets and Ribbons, Collars, Handkerchiefs, Kid Gloves, Hooped Skirts, Skirting, Lace Mitts, &c., &c.

FOR GENTLEMEN'S WEAR,

We have Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings, Tweeds, Jeans, &c. Heads of families would do well to call and examine our stock of Winter Goods for Boys.

Boots, Shoes, Hardware, Glassware, Queensware, Wood and Willow Ware, Oil Cloths, Carpets, &c., in any quantity and at prices that cannot fail to please.

GROCERIES.

Our stock of Groceries is more extensive than ever, and consists of Rio and Java Coffee, Crushed, Loaf and N. O Sugars; Green, Y. H. and Black Teas; Molasses, Soaps, Candles, Salt, Fish, &c.

Thankful to the public for the very liberal patronage heretofore received, he hopes by strict attention to business, and an endeavor to please, to merit a continuance of the same.

*** Country Produce of all kinds taken in exchange for Goods at market prices.

Oct. 25, 1860. J. B. HILEMAN.

TO THE PUBLIC.—THE SUBSCRIBER (having taken the establishment heretofore owned by Samuel I. Fries,) would respectfully announce to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity, that he has removed his

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

TIN, SHEET-IRON WARE & STOVE STORE,

to the new building on Annie street, between Harriet and Adeline streets, East Altoona, where he will keep constantly on hand a large assortment of everything in his line, which he will dispose of on reasonable terms.

ROOFING & SPOUTING

put up on short notice. He also manufactures LEADED IRON SPOUTING, which is said to be much superior to galvanized sheet-iron or tin.

He has also attached a copper-smithing room to his establishment and will keep on hand an assortment of copper and brass kettles, &c.

All kinds of job work promptly attended to.

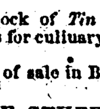
A share of public patronage is respectfully solicited.

STEPHEN WINTERS.

Altoona, Aug. 16th, 1860.

Stoves, Tin & Sheet Iron Ware, SPOUTING, &C.

S. RIGG WOULD RESPECTFULLY inform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he keeps constantly on hand a large assortment of *Cooking, Parlor, Office and Shop Stoves*, of all styles and sizes, to suit the wants of all, which he will sell at low prices, on reasonable terms.



He also keeps on hand a large stock of *Tin and Sheet-Iron Ware*, consisting of all articles for culinary purposes—*Coal Scuttles, Stove Pipe, &c.*

He has also purchased the right of sale in Blair county, of R. V. JONES'

IMPROVED SAUSAGE STUFFER,

an invention which needs only to be seen to be appreciated and should be possessed by every farmer, butcher or those requiring such a machine.

☞ Particular attention paid to putting up SPOUTING, either in town or country. Spouting painted and put up on the most reasonable terms. [april 14, 1859-1y

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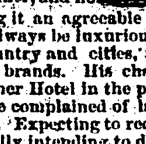
EXCHANGE HOTEL.—THE SUBSCRIBER would respectfully inform the public that he has recently refitted the above Hotel, and is now prepared to accommodate his friends and patrons in a comfortable manner, and he will spare no pains in making it an agreeable home for all sojourners. His Table will always be luxuriously supplied from the markets of the country and cities, and his Bar filled with liquors of choice brands. His charges are as reasonable as those of any other Hotel in the place, and he feels satisfied they can not be complained of by those who favor him with their custom. Expecting to receive a share of public patronage, and fully intending to deserve it, he throws open his house to the public and invites a trial.

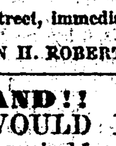


I have just received a stock of No. 1 French Brandy, for medicinal purposes.

Also a large stock of excellent Wines, for medicinal purposes, together with a lot of the best old Rye Whiskey to be found in the country.

Altoona, May 27, 1859.-1y] JOHN BOWMAN.

THE GREAT QUESTION WHICH now agitates the mind of every person is, where can I get the best article for my money? In regard to other matters, the subscriber would not attempt to direct, but if you want anything in the line of



BOOTS OR SHOES

he invites an examination of his stock and work.

He keeps constantly on hand an assortment of Boots, Shoes, Gaiters, Slippers, &c., which he offers at fair prices.

He will give special attention to custom work, all of which will be warranted to give satisfaction. None but the best workmen are employed.

Remember my shop is on Virginia street, immediately opposite Kessler's Drug Store.

September 3, '57-tf] JOHN H. ROBERTS.

AT THE OLD STAND!!

THE SUBSCRIBER WOULD INFORM the public that he has just received from the East a splendid assortment of

CLOTHS AND VESTINGS,

FOR SPRING AND SUMMER CLOTHING,

which he will make to order on short notice and reasonable terms, and warrants to give satisfaction. Persons in want of anything in his line can rely upon being fairly dealt with. JOHN O'DONNEL.

☞ Shop on Main St., a few doors below the "Red Lion Hotel." [May 24, 1860.

Bakery and Grocery Store.

THE SUBSCRIBER KEEPS CONSTANTLY on hand

Fresh-Baked Bread, Cakes, &c. FEED, BACON, FLOUR, GROCERIES,

Also, a choice lot of SEGARS and TOBACCO.

JACOB RINK,

Nov. 10. Virginia Street, below Annie Street.

J. G. ADLUM,

NOTARY PUBLIC,

ALTOONA, BLAIR CO., PA.

Can at all times be found at the store of J. B. Hileman.

October 1, 1857.

B. F. ROYER, M. D.,

Offers his professional services to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity.

The best of references can be given if required.

Office at residence on Branch street, East Altoona, three doors above Conrad's Store. April 28 '59-1y.

PROF. L. MILLER'S

HAIR INVIGORATOR!!

AN EFFECTIVE, SAFE AND ECONOMICAL COMPOUND,

FOR RESTORING GRAY HAIR to its original color without dyeing, and preventing the hair from turning gray.

FOR PREVENTING BALDNESS, and curing it, when there is the least particle of vitality or recuperative energy remaining.

FOR REMOVING SCURF AND DANDRUFF, and all cutaneous affections of the Scalp.

FOR BEAUTIFYING THE HAIR, imparting to it an unequalled gloss and brilliancy, making it soft and silky in its texture and causing it to curl readily.

The great celebrity and the increasing demand for this unequalled preparation, convince the proprietor that one trial is only necessary to satisfy a discerning public of its superior qualities over any other preparation at present in use. It cleanses the head and scalp from *dandruff and other cutaneous diseases,* causes the hair to grow luxuriently, and gives it a rich, soft, glossy flexible appearance, and also where the hair is loosening and thining, it will give strength and vigor to the roots, and restore the growth to those parts which have become bald, causing it to yield a *fresh covering of hair.*

There are hundreds of ladies and gentlemen in New York who have had their hair restored by the use of this Invigorator, when all other preparations had failed. L. M. has in his possession letters innumerable testifying to the above facts, from persons of the highest respectability. It will effectually prevent the *hair from turning gray* until the latest period of life; and in cases where the hair has already changed its color, the use of the Invigorator will with certainty *restore it to its original hue,* giving it a dark, glossy appearance. As a perfume for the toilet and a Hair Restorative it is particularly recommended, having an agreeable fragrance; and the great facilities it affords in *dressing the hair,* which, when moist with the Invigorator can be dressed in any required form so as to preserve its place, whether plain or in curls—hence the great demand for it by the ladies as a *standard toilet article* which none ought to be without, as the price places it within the reach of all, being

ONLY 25 CENTS

per bottle, to be had at all respectable druggists and perfumers.

L. MILLER would call the attention of Parents and Guardians to the use of the Invigorator, in cases where the childrens' Hair inclines to be weak. The use of it lays the foundation for a *good head of hair,* as it removes any impurities that may have become connected with the scalp, the removal of which is necessary both for the health of the child, and the future appearance of its Hair.

CAUTION.—None genuine without the fac simile LOUIS MILLER being on the outer wrapper; also, L. MILLER'S HAIR INVIGORATOR, N. Y. blown in the glass.

Wholesale Depot, 56 Dey St., and sold by all the principal Merchants and Druggists throughout the world.

Liberal discount to purchasers by the quantity.

I also desire to present to the American Public my

New and Improved Instantaneous

LIQUID HAIR DYE

which after years of scientific experimenting I have brought to perfection. It dyes Black or Brown instantly without injury to the Hair or Skin, warranted the best article of the kind in existence.

Price, Only 50 Cents.

Aug. 23, '60-1y. Depot, 56 Dey St., New York.

RAIL ROAD LANDS FOR SALE,

ON LONG CREDIT,

AND AT LOW RATES OF INTEREST.

THE HANIBAL AND ST. JOSEPH RAILROAD COMPANY, having over 600,000 ACRES of LAND lying in the State of Missouri, which was granted, by Act of Congress, to aid in the construction of their Road, offer the principal portion thereof, for sale, on the most liberal terms.

The greater part of these lands are within six, and all within fifteen miles of the Railroad, which is now completed, and open for use throughout its entire length (206 miles,) and runs through a country which is unsurpassed by any in the salubrity of its climate, the fertility of its soil, and the extent of its mineral resources.

For further information, apply at the Land office of the Company, or address by letter, JOSIAH HUNT, Land Commissioner, H. & St. Jo. R. R.

Hannibal, Mo. Feb. 2, '60.-1y.*

GROCERY, PROVISION, AND WHOLESALE LIQUOR STORE.

THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD INFORM the public that he has purchased the interest of A. MILLIRON in the Grocery and Provision Store heretofore kept by them on Virginia street, below Caroline St., where he will continue the business, and will keep constantly on hand a large supply of

FLOUR, HAMS, SHOULDERS, SIDES, DRIED BEEF, FISH, SALT, MOLASSES, COFFEE, TEA, SUGAR, SPICES, CONFECTIONARIES,

and everything usually kept in Grocery and Provision Stores, all of which he receives fresh from the eastern and western cities, and will sell at the most reasonable prices.

Having recently obtained license to sell liquor by wholesale, I will keep constantly on hand a large assortment of liquors of the best qualities to be had.

I respectfully solicit a share of public custom.

July 12, 1860.-6m. J. BERKOWITZ.

NEW GROCERY FEED AND PROVISION STORE.

The subscriber would respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he has opened a store of the above kind, near the corner of Adaline and Julia streets, East Altoona, where he will keep constantly on hand a full supply of everything in his line. His

GROCERIES

are all fresh and will be sold at prices as low as those of any other establishment in town. His stock of provisions, consisting of

Flour, Hams, Shoulders, Side &c.

will be sold a little cheaper than they can be bought any where else. His Flour is obtained from the best mills in the Western part of the State, and is warranted to be what it is represented.

All kinds of Feed for horses, cows and hogs, always on hand.

I intend to keep such an assortment that I shall at all times be able to supply my customers with whatever they may need, and I intend also to sell at prices which will make it a saving to those who patronize my store.

July 22, 1858-3m. HENRY BELL.

RED LION HOTEL,

ALTOONA, BLAIR COUNTY, PA.

This old established and popular HOTEL, located nearly opposite the place of stopping the passenger cars in Altoona, has passed into the hands of the present proprietor.—Long experience in the business warrants me in assuring the travelling public that no pains will be spared to render guests as comfortable as possible while sojourning under my roof.

The TABLE will constantly be supplied with the very best the market affords.

The BAR will be found to contain an excellent assortment of LIQUORS of all kinds, including that choice beverage *LAGER BEER.*

The STABLE is in charge of an excellent and experienced Ostler.

The proprietor hopes, by his long experience in the busines and the facilities at his command, to make the Red Lion, in all respects, a first class Hotel. The business of the Hotel will be under my own personal supervision. A liberal share of public patronage is kindly solicited.

JOHN W. SCHWEIGERT, *Proprietor.*

May 19, 1859.-tf

HOWARD ASSOCIATION,

PHILADELPHIA.

A Benevolent Institution established by Special Endowment, for the Relief of the Sick and Distressed, afflicted with Virulent and Epidemic Diseases, and especially for the Cure of Diseases of the Sexual Organs.

Medical Advice given gratis, by the Acting Surgeon, to all who apply by letter, with a description of their condition, (age, occupation, habits of life, &c.,) and in cases of extreme poverty, Medicines furnished free of charge.

VALUABLE REPORTS on Spermatorrhœa, and other diseases of the Sexual Organs, and on the NEW REMEDIES employed in the Dispensary, sent to the afflicted in sealed letter envelopes, free of charge. Two or three Stamps for postage will be acceptable.

Address, DR. J. SKILLON HOUGHTON, Acting Surgeon, Howard Association, No. 2 South Ninth Street, Philadelphia, Pa. By order of the Directors.

EZRA D. HEARTWELL, *Pres't.*

GEO. FAIRCHILD, *Sec'y.* [Jan. 19, '60.-1y

☞ *To Persons out of Employment.* ☜

AGENTS WANTED,

In every County of the United States,

TO ENGAGE IN THE SALE OF some of the best and most elegantly Illustrated works published.

Our publications are of the most interesting character, adapted to the wants of the Farmer, Mechanic and Merchant; they are published in the best style and bound in the most substantial manner, and are worthy a place in the library of every household in the land.

☞ To men of enterprise and industrious habits, this business offers an opportunity for profitable employment seldom to be met with.

☞ Persons desiring to act as agents will receive promptly by mail full particulars, terms, &c., by addressing

LEARY, GETZ & Co., *Publishers,*

No. 224, North Second Street, Philadelphia.

Nov. 25th, '60—6m.

FURNITURE WARE-ROOM.—THE undersigned respectfully informs the public that he has taken the ware-room two doors from the Branch Road, where he will keep on hand all kinds of

CABINET-WARE,

and attend to the duties of an UNDERTAKER.

Two good Cabinet-Makers and one apprentice wanted.

Altoona, Apr. 12, 1860. JAS. T. MOORE.

HAIR OILS, COLOGNES, POMades, Shaving Cream, Toilet Soaps, &c. for sale by

1-tf] G. W. KESSLER.

MOFFAT'S

LIFE PILLS and PHŒNIX BITTERS.

THESE MEDICINE HAVES NOW been before the public for a period of thirty years, and during that time have maintained a high character in almost every part of the globe, for their extraordinary and immediate power of restoring perfect health to persons suffering under nearly every kind of disease to which the human frame is liable.

The following are among the distressing variety of human diseases in which the

VEGETABLE LIFE MEDICINES

are well known to be infallible.

DYSPEPSIA, by thoroughly cleansing the first and second stomachs, and creating a flow of pure, healthy bile, instead of the stale and acrid kind; FLATULENCY, Loss of Appetite, Heartburn, Headache, Restlessness, Ill Temper, Anxiety, Langour, and Melancholy, which are the general symptoms of Dyspepsia, will vanish, as a natural consequence of its cure.

COSTIVENESS, by cleansing the whole length of the intestines with a solvent process, and without violence; all violent purges leave the bowels costive within two days.

FEVERS of all kinds, by restoring the blood to a regular circulation, through the process of respiration in such cases, and the thorough solution of all intestinal obstruction in others.

The Life Medicines have been known to cure RHEUMATISM permanently in three weeks, and GOUT in half that time, by removing local inflammation from the muscles and ligaments of the joints.

DROPSIES of all kinds, by freeing and strengthening the kidneys and bladder; they operate most delightfully on these important organs, and hence have ever been found a certain remedy for the worst cases of GRAVEL.

Also WORMS, by dislodging from the turnings of the bowels the slimy matter to which these creatures adhere.

SCURVY, ULCERS, and INVETERATE SORES, by the perfect purity which these LIFE MEDICINES give to the blood, and all the humors.

SCORBUTIC ERUPTIONS and BAD COMPLEXIONS, by their alterative effect upon the fluids that feed the skin, and the morbid state of which occasions all eruptive complaints, sallow, cloudy, and other disagreeable complexions.

The use of these Pills for a very short time will effect an entire cure of SALT RHEUM, and a striking improvement in the clearness of the skin. COMMON COLDS and INFLUENZA will always be cured by one dose, or by two in the worst cases.

PILES.—The original proprietor of these medicines, was cured of Piles, of 35 years standing, by the use of the Life Medicines alone.

FEVER & AGUE.—For this scourge of the Western country, these medicines will be found a safe, speedy and certain remedy. Other medicines leave the system subject to a return of the disease—a cure by these medicines is permanent—try them, be satisfied, and be cured.

BILLIOUS FEVERS and LIVER COMPLAINTS.—General debility, loss of appetite and diseases of females—the medicines have been used with the most beneficial results in cases of this description:—Kings Evil and Scrofula, in its worst forms, yields to the mild yet powerful action of these remarkable Medicines. Night Sweats, Nervous Debility, Nervous Complaints of all kinds, Palpitation of the Heart, Painters' Colic, are speedily cured.

MERCURIAL DISEASES.—Persons whose constitutions have become impaired by the injudicious use of Mercury, will find these medicines a perfect cure, as they never fail to eradicate from the system all the effects of Mercury, infinitely sooner than the most powerful preparation of Sarsaparilla.

Prepared and sold by W. B. MOFFAT, 335 Broadway, New York.

For sale by all Druggists. [Sept. 13, 1860-1y.

DIRECT FROM NEW YORK.

R. A. O. KERR HAS JUST RETURNED from New York City with a beautiful assortment of

LADIES' DRESS GOODS,

consisting in part of

Fancy Winter Silks, only 65 cents per yard, Black Dress Silks " $1,20 per yard. Japanese Cloth—a beautiful fabric for ladies' dresses—Mexican Plads,

Poil de Chevres, a most complete assortment of the latest patterns of Delaines, Opera Cloth, plain Delaines only 20 cents per yard, they have always been sold at 25 cts. in this market. Also, a beautiful assortment of the challenge Wamsutta Prints, now acknowledged to be the best prints in market, and a handsome assortment of fast colored prints from 5 to 10 cts per yard,

Shawls, Cloaks, Opera Caps,

Woolen Undersleeves for ladies and children, an unsurpassed stock of Hosiery, together with an abundance and variety of everything in the Notion and Trimming line.

He calls special attention to his beautiful assortment of

QUEENSWARE,

which is acknowledged to be the most complete of any in the town, and sold at prices defying competition. Tea sets, consisting of 46 pieces, sold at $4 00.

BOOTS AND SHOES,

directly from New York, and bought from first hand.

BRUSSELS, ALL WOOL, INGRAIN, LIST, HEMP AND RAG CARPETS,

OIL CLOTHS from 1 to 2 yards wide.

His stock of

GROCERIES

is complete in every respect, and will be sold at as low a figure as any house this side of the city.

Oct. 11, 1860.

PATENT KEROSENE OR CARBON OIL LAMPS!

Unrivaled in Beauty, Simplicity Safety or Economy.

Every person desiring to obtain the very best and cheapest portable light within their reach, should call at the store of the undersigned and examine these Lamps before purchasing elsewhere, and we pledge ourselves to demonstrate

1st. That NO ACCIDENT can occur by explosion.

2d. That they emit no offensive odor while burning.

3d. That they are very easily trimmed.

4th. That they are easily regulated to give more or less light.

5th. That they burn entirely free from smoke.

6th. That the light is at least 50 per cent. cheaper than any other light now in common use.

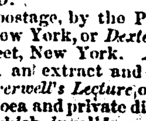
These lamps are admirably adapted for the use of Students, Mechanics, Seamstresses, Factories, Halls, Churches, Stores, Hotels, and are highly recommended for family use.

The burner of the Carbon Oil Lamp can be attached to old side, hanging and table fluid and oil lamps, at a small expense, and will answer every purpose of a new lamp.

We guarantee perfect satisfaction in all cases.

Aug. 19, 1858-tf.] G. W. KESSLER.

THE GREEN BOOK. JUST PUBLISHED, 150 PAGES. PRICE 25 Cents; On Single and Married life; or, the Institution of Marriage; its Intent, Obligations, and Physical and Legal Disqualifications; the *rational* treatment of all private diseases in both sexes, &c. To which is added a poetical essay, entitled "*Callipaediae:*" or the art of having and rearing beautiful and healthy children, by the *late* ROBERT J. CULVERWELL, Esq., M. D.



Sent free of postage, by the Publishers. CHAS. KLINE & Co., Box 4586, New York, or *Dexter & Co.*, Wholesale agents 113 Nassau Street, New York. *Agents wanted everywhere.*

Also, GRATIS, an extract and sample of the above entitled: *Dr. Culverwell's Lecture* on the rational treatment of Spermatorrhoea and private diseases generally, detailing the means by which invalids may effectually cure themselves without the use of dangerous medicines, and at but little expense to themselves. Sent free by mail in a secure envelope, on the receipt of one stamp, to prepay postage, by addressing, CHAS. KLINE & CO.,

Feb. 22, 1859. Box 4586, New York City.

CANCER INSTITUTE.

After many years of successful practice, DR. KELLING still desires to do good to the afflicted. He continues to cure all kinds of

CANCERS, TUMORS, WENS, SCROFULA, or KINGS EVIL, SORES, &C.,

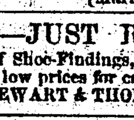
if curable, without cutting or poison. He does not confine himself merely to the cure of the above diseases, but will treat all others with success. Patients will be visited, if desired, a reasonable distance. Persons desiring to visit Dr. K. will please stop at the Railroad Hotel in Mechanicsburg, where they will be directed to his residence. For all particulars write—state diseases plainly. Enclose a postage stamp to prepay answer. Address Dr. C. L. KELLING, Mechanicsburg, Cumberland Co., Pa.

Sept. 13, 1860-6m

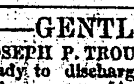
CAUTION.—ALL PERSONS ARE hereby notified not to purchase or sell any lager beer kegs with the stamp of the ALTOONA BREWERY thereon, as such kegs never have been and never will be sold from the Brewery. All kegs containging said stamp will be claimed and taken, wherever found, by the proprietors of the Brewery to whom they belong.

July 28th 1859-tf. WILHELM & BRO.

REMOVAL.—A. M. KING, SHOEMAKER, informs the public that he has taken the Room next door to the *Tribune* Office, on Virginia Street, where he is prepared to manufacture every style of WOMEN'S SHOES, at reasonable prices, and in a substantial manner. [Mar.15,'60.-tf.



BOOT AND SHOEMAKER—JOHN STEHLE has taken a portion of the room occupied by A. M. KING, next door to J. W. Rigg's Tin Shop, and announces himself ready to get up Men's Boots & Shoes in good style and at low rates. [Mar.15,'60-tf.



SHOE-FINDINGS.—JUST RECEIVED a good assortment of Shoe-Findings, of all descriptions, which we will sell at low prices for cash.

July 19, 1860. STEWART & THOMPSON.

O YES! O YES!—GENTLEMEN draw nigh and hear. JOSEPH P. TROUT announces to the public, that he is ready to discharge his duty as an Auctioneer whenever called upon. [Jan. 2 '56.

GROCERIES.—A LARGE AND complete assortment of Groceries have just been received at the store of J. B. HILEMAN.

HAIR, HAT, TOOTH, SHAVING, Paint, Sash and Varnish Brushes at KESSLER'S.

Dr MOTT'S CHALYBEATE RESTORATIVE PILLS of IRON.

An aperient and stomachic preparation of Iron purified of Oxygen and Carbon by combustion in Hydrogen. Sanctioned by the highest Medical Authorities, both in Europe and the United States, and prescribed in their practice.

The experience of thousands daily proves that no preparation of Iron can be compared with it. Impurities of the blood, depression of vital energy, pale and otherwise sickly complexions indicate its necessity in almost every conceivable case.

In Debility, Nervous Affections, Emaciation, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Diarrhœa, Dysentery, Incipient Consumption, Scrofulous Tuberculosis, Salt Rheum, Mismenstruation, Whites, Chlorosis, Liver Complaints, Chronic Headaches, Rheumatism, Intermittent Fevers, Pimples on the Face, &c.

In cases of General Debility, whether the result of acute disease, or of the continued diminution of nervous and muscular energy from chronic complaints, one trial of this restorative has proved successful to an extent which no description nor written attestation would render credible.—Invalids so long bed ridden as to have become forgotten in their own neighborhoods, have suddenly re-appeared in the busy world as if just returned from a protracted travel in a distant land. Some very signal instances of this kind are attested by Female sufferers, emaciated victims of apparent marasmus, sanguineous exhaustion, critical changes, and the complication of nervous and dyspeptic aversion to air and exercise, for which the physician has no name.

In Nervous Afflictions of all kinds, and for reasons familiar to medical men, the operation of this preparation of iron must necessarily be salutary, for, unlike the old oxides, it is vigorously tonic, without being exciting and overheating; and gently, regularly aperient, even in the most obstinate cases of costiveness without ever being a gastric purgative, or inflicting a disagreeable sensation.

It is this latter property, among others, which makes it so remarkably effectual and permanent a remedy for *Piles*, upon which it also appears to exert a distinct and specific action, by dispersing the local tendency which forms them.

In Dyspepsia, innumerable as are its causes, a single box of these Chalybeate Pills has often sufficed for the most habitual cases, including the attendant *Costiveness.*

In unchecked Diarrhœa, even when advanced to Dysentery, confirmed, emaciating, and apparently malignant, the effects have been equally decisive and astonishing.

In the local pains, loss of flesh and strength, debilitating cough, and remittent hectic, which generally indicate Incipient Consumption, this remedy has allayed the alarm of friends and physicians, in several very gratifying and interesting instances.

In Scrofulous Tuberculosis, this medicated iron has had far more than the good effect of the most cautiously balanced preparations of iodine, without any of their well-known liabilities.

The attention of females cannot be too confidently invited to this *remedy* and *restorative*, in the cases peculiarly afflicting them.

In Rheumatism, both chronic and inflammatory—in the latter, however, more decidedly—it has been invariably well reported, both as alleviating the pain and reducing the swellings and stiffness of the joints and muscles.

In intermittent Fevers it must necessarily be a great remedy and energetic restorative, and its progress in the new settlements of the West, will probaby be one of high renown and usefulness.

No remedy has been discovered in the whole history of medicine, which exerts such prompt, happy, and fully restorative effects. Good appetite, complete digestion, rapid acquisition of strength, with an unusual disposition for active and cheerful exercise, immediately follow its use.

Put up in flat metal boxes containing 50 pills, price 50 cents per box; for sale by druggists and dealers. Will be sent free to any address on receipt of the price. All letters, orders, etc., should be addressed to

B. F. LOCKE & CO., GENERAL AGENTS,

July 19, 1860.-1y. 20 Cedar St., New York.

Salt River Passengers, Ho!

AS THE SUBSCRIBER WILL BE under the necessity of leaving early in November for the head waters of Salt River, in the ship UNION, which will *positively* sail about that time; and knowing that many of my friends will go along and will want an outfit, I take this opportunity of informing them as well as all my old friends and customers, that I have just returned from the East, where I purchased a large stock of Goods, which I am now opening at my store in North Ward, to which I invite inspection. It is the

LARGEST AND HANDSOMEST

as well as the CHEAPEST lot of Goods brought to the town this fall. The reason why I say the CHEAPEST is obvious to every reflecting mind, because as the season advances (the merchants in the east say) prices decline, therefore I have an advantage of from 20 to 25 per cent. over those who purchased early in the season, and I can and will sell cheaper than any other house in the place. Purchasers will thus at once see the propriety of at least examining my stock before buying elsewhere. My stock consists of all the newest styles of

LADIES' DRESS GOODS

for the season, also a full assortment of

GROCERIES, BOOTS AND SHOES,

LADIES' SHAKER BONNETS,

Misses' Felt and Straw Hats,

and everything in the line of Dry Goods and Notions which it is unnecessary to enumerate. All of which will be sold for cash, or to prompt paying monthly customers, or exchanged for all articles of Produce which can be consumed here or exchanged for goods in the East.

A. McCORMICK.

N. B.—The subscriber has arrangements in the East by which he can supply any article at short notice.

Altoona, Oct. 25, 1860. A. McCORMICK.

GREAT IMPROVEMENT IN COOKING STOVES.

CONSUMPTION OF SMOKE AND GAS AND SAVING OF FUEL.

The subscriber takes pleasure in offering to the public NEW GAS AND SMOKE CONSUMING Cooking Stove, recently patented, which is destined to supercede all others, as it requires

ONE-THIRD LESS FUEL

than other stoves and is more easily, quickly and regularly heated. No unpleasant smell of gas arises from this stove from the fact that it is all consumed ere it can escape. There is no trouble from smoke as that unpleasant and often annoying exhalation is also consumed inside of the stove. Neither is there any danger of flues or chimneys becoming clogged with soot or the mortar loosened by the gas arising from coal fires.

Persons wishing to purchase stoves are invited to call at the store of the subscriber, in the Masonic Temple, and examine the above stoves. JOHN SHOEMAKER,

Sole Agent for Blair County.

N. B. All kinds of Air-tight, Parlor Cooking and Egg Stoves on hand. [Aug. 12, 1856.

MORE GOOD NEWS!

The undersigned has just received from the East a large and varied assortment of

FALL AND WINTER GOODS,

consisting of

Cloths, Cassimeres, and VESTING,

material for

FINE AND COARSE

OVERCOATS,

material for

BOYS' CLOTHING,

GENT'S FURNISHING GOODS,

such as Undershirts, Drawers, Suspenders, Neck-ties, Handkerchiefs &c., &c., all of which will be sold at the lowest prices.

All work ordered will be made up in the very best style, according to the latest fashions, on short notice.

Nov. 1, 1859-tf THOMAS ELWAY.

FLOUR.—THE BEST QUALITY OF FAMILY FLOUR for sale, Wholesale and Retail.—Apply to J. SHOEMAKER,

Dec. 11, 1856-tf. Masonic Temple.

LUMBER FOR SALE.

60,000 SHINGLES, 50,000 LATHES, and all kinds of BUILDING MATERIALS, lower than the lowest, for Cash. Apply to JOHN SHOEMAKER.

HARDWARE OF ALL DESCRIPtions just received and for sale by

Oct. 15-tf] J. B. HILEMAN.

BUFFALO ROBES.—A SUPPLY of Red River Buffalo Robes just received and for sale by JOHN LOUDON.

PURE WHITE LEAD AND ZINC Paint, also Chroma, Green, Yellow, Paris Green, dry and ground oil at [1-tf.] KESSLER'S.

SPECTACLES AND EYE PRESERvers for sale at [1-tf.] KESSLER'S.

HOSTETTER'S

STOMACH BITTERS.

The proprietors and manufacturers of HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS can appeal with perfect confidence to physicians and citizens generally of the United States, because the article has attained a reputation heretofore unknown. A few facts upon this point will speak more powerfully than volumes of bare assertion or blazoning puffery. The consumption of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters for the last year amounted to over a half-million bottles, and from its manifest steady increase in times past, it is evident that during the coming year the consumption will reach near one million bottles. This immense amount could never have been sold but for the rare medicinal properties contained in the preparation, and the sanction of the most prominent physicians in those sections of the country where the article is best known, who not only recommend the Bitters to their patients, but are ready at all times to give testimonials to its efficacy in all cases of stomachic derangements and the diseases resulting therefrom.

This is not a temporary popularity, obtained by extraordinary efforts in the way of trumpeting the qualities of the Bitters, but a solid estimation of an invaluable medicine, which is destined to be as enduring as time itself.

Hostetter's Stomach Bitters have proved a Godsend to regions where fever and ague and various other bilious complaints have counted their victims by hundreds. To be able to state confidently that the "Bitters" are a certain cure for the Dyspepsia and like diseases, is to the proprietors a source of unalloyed pleasure. It removes all morbid matter from the stomach, purifies the blood, and imparts renewed vitality to the nervous system, giving it that tone and energy indispensable for the restoration of health. It operates upon the stomach, liver, and other digestive organs, mildly but powerfully, and soon restores them to a condition essential to the healthy discharge of the functions of nature.

Elderly persons may use the Bitters daily as per directions on the bottle, and they will find in it a stimulant peculiarly adapted to comfort declining years, as it is pleasant to the palate, invigorating to the bowels, excellent as a tonic, and rejuvenating generally. We have the evidence of thousands of aged men and women who have experienced the benefit of using this preparation while suffering from stomach derangements and general debility; acting under the advice of physicians, they have abandoned all deleterious drugs and fairly tested the merits of this article. A few words to the gentler sex. There are certain periods when their cares are so harassing that many of them sink under the trial. The relation of mother and child is so absorbingly tender, that the mother, especially if she be young, is apt to forget her own health in her extreme anxiety for her infant. Should the period of maternity arrive during the summer season, the wear of body and mind is generally aggravated. Here, then, is a necessity for a stimulant to recuperate the energies of the system, and enable the mother to bear up under her exhausting trials and responsibilities. Nursing mothers generally prefer the Bitters to all other invigorators that receive the endorsement of physicians, because it is agreeable to the taste as well as certain to give a permanent increase of bodily strength.

All those persons, to whom we have particularly referred above, to wit: sufferers from fever and ague, caused by malaria, diarrhœa, dysentery, indigestion, loss of appetite, and all diseases or derangements of the stomach, superannuated invalids, persons of sedentary occupation, and nursing mothers, will consult their own physical welfare by giving to Hostetter's Celebrated Stomach Bitters a trial.

CAUTION.—We caution the public against using any of the many imitations or counterfeits, but ask for HOSTETTER'S CELEBRATED STOMACH BITTERS, and see that each bottle has the words "Dr. J. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters" blown on the side of the bottle, and stamped on the metallic cap covering the cork, and observe that our autograph signature is on the label.

☞ Prepared and sold by HOSTETTER & SMITH, Pittsburgh, Pa., and sold by all druggists, grocers, and dealers generally throughout the United States, South America, and Germany.

For sale by A. ROUSH, Altoona, Pa.

Sept. 20, 1860-1y.

HOLLIDAYSBURG MARBLE WORKS

JOHN McKEAGE, successor to A. W. Kinney, Manufacturer of all kinds of PLAIN AND ORNAMENTAL MARBLE WORK, at the lowest possible prices. All work finished at this establishment warranted to give satisfaction.

Hollidaysburg, Dec. 30, 1858-tf.

JACOB SNYDER, TAILOR,

The Hero of One Hundred Fits per Month!

I would respectfully set forth my claim to public attention, as a Fashionable Tailor, as follows:

Because I keep an excellent assortment of Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings and Trimmings, which, when examined, always please.

Because my work is made up in a manner that takes down the country and gives all my customers a city appearance.

Because I am not inferior as a Cutter to the best to be found anywhere.

Because long experience in my business gives me entire control over it, and I am not dependant upon any one to lift me out of the suds.

Because I am still on the sunny side of forty, and therefore my taste as a Cutter and workman unimpaired.

Call on me, in the corner room of the "Brant House." Give me a trial and you will go away pleased.

Altoona, May 26-5m JACOB SNYDER.

BLAIR COUNTY DAGUERREAN ROOMS.—Mr. G. W. FISHER, the Hollidaysburg Artist, begs leave to inform our readers that he is prepared to take

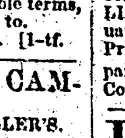
Photographs of deceased persons,

from Daguerreotypes, at the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms. He has just received a large stock of durable and neat cases, of all sizes and styles, including a new pattern of Family Case for four persons, and is prepared to fill them with perfect likenesses.

AMBROTYPE, DAGUERREOTYPE OR PHOTOGRAPH.

Give him a call. Rooms on the corner of Montgomery and Allegheny streets, Hollidaysburg, Pa. [June 17-tf.

G. W. KESSLER—PRACTICAL DRUGGIST, respectfully announces to the citizens of Altoona and the public generally, that he still continues the Drug business, on Virginia street, where he keeps constantly on hand, for sale, Wholesale and Retail, DRUGS, MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, OILS, VARNISHES and DYE-STUFFS.



By strict attention to business, and a desire to render satisfaction to all as regards price and quality, he hopes to merit and receive a share of public patronage.

Physicians and merchants supplied on reasonable terms, and all orders from a distance promptly attended to.

Physicians prescriptions carefully compounded. [1-tf.

PINE AND LARD OILS, CAMphene, Burning Fluid, Carbon Oil, &c., at

Jan. 3, '56-tf] KESSLER'S.

ON HAND AT McCORMICK'S Store—A splendid assortment of Ready-Made clothing. Call and see. Nov. 25.-tf.

GLASS 8x10 TO 20x24, AND CUT to order by G. W. KESSLER.

Thousands are daily speaking in the praise of

DR. EATON'S

INFANTILE CORDIAL,

and why? because it *never fails to afford instantaneous relief* when given in time. It acts as if by magic, and *one trial alone* will convince you that what we say is true. It contains

NO PAREGORIC OR OPIATE

of *any* kind, and therefore relieves by *removing the sufferings* of your child, instead of by *deadening its sensibilities*. For this reason, it commends itself as the *only reliable* preparation now, known for CHILDREN TEETHING, DIARRHŒA, DYSENTERY, GRIPING IN THE BOWELS, ACIDITY OF THE STOMACH, WIND, COLD IN THE HEAD, and CROUP, also, for *softening the gums, reducing inflammation, regulating the Bowels, and relieving pain*, it has no equal—being an *anti-spasmodic* it is used with *unfailing success* in all cases of CONVULSION OR OTHER FITS. *As you value the life and health of your children, and wish to save them from those sad and blighting consequences which are certain to result from the use of narcotics of which all other remedies for Infantile Complaints are composed, take none but* DR. EATON'S INFANTILE CORDIAL, this you can *rely* upon. It is perfectly harmless, and cannot injure the most delicate infant. Price, 25 cents. Full directions accompany each bottle. Prepared only by

CHURCH & DUPONT,

No. 409 Broadway, New-York.

Healthy human Blood upon being

ANALYZED

always presents us with the same essential elements, and gives of course the TRUE STANDARD. Analyze the Blood of a person suffering from Consumption, Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Scrofula, &c., and we find in *every instance* certain *deficiencies* in the red globules of Blood. *Supply* these deficiencies, and you are made well. The BLOOD FOOD is founded upon this Theory—hence its astonishing success. There are

FIVE PREPARATIONS

adapted to the deficiencies of the Blood in different diseases. For COUGHS, COLDS, BRONCHITIS, or any affection whatever of the THROAT or LUNGS, inducing CONSUMPTION, use No. 1, which is also the No. for DEPRESSION OF SPIRITS, LOSS OF APPETITE, and for all CHRONIC COMPLAINTS, arising from OVER-USE, GENERAL DEBILITY, and NERVOUS PROSTRATION. No. 2, for LIVER COMPLAINTS, No. 3 for DYSPEPSIA.—*Being already prepared for absorption* it is TAKEN BY DROPS and carried immediately into the circulation, so that what you *gain* you *retain*. The No. 4 is for FEMALE IRREGULARITIES, HYSTERIA, WEAKNESSES, &c. See special directions for this. For SALT RHEUM, ERUPTIONS, SCROFULOUS, KIDNEY, and BLADDER COMPLAINTS, take No. 5. In all cases the directions must be strictly followed. Price of the *Blood Food* $1 per bottle. Sold by CHURCH & DUPONT, No. 409 Broadway, New-York.

T. W. DYOTT & SONS, Philadelphia, and G. H. KEYSER, Pittsburgh, Wholesale Agents.

By A. Roush, Altoona; W. T. Murray, Hollidaysburg; and by all respectable druggists throughout the country

March 8, 1860.-1y.

SAVING FUND.

National SAFETY TRUST Company.

SAVING FUND.—NATIONAL SAFETY TRUST COMPANY.—CHARTERED BY THE STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA.

RULES.

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2. FIVE PER CENT. interest is paid for money from the day it is put in.

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4. Money is received from *Executors, Administrators, Guardians*, and others who desire to have it in a place of perfect safety, and where interest can be obtained for it.

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6. Office Hours—Every day from 9 till 5 o'clock, and on Mondays and Thursdays till 8 o'clock in the evening.

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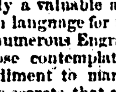
Office: Walnut Street, S. W. Corner of Third St. Philadelphia. April 14th, '59-1y.

MARRIAGE GUIDE—BEING A private instructor for married persons, or those about to be married both male and female, in everything concerning the physiology and relations of our system, and the production or prevention offspring, including all the new discoveries never before given in the English language, by WM. YOUNG, M. D. This is really a valuable and interesting work. It is written in plain language for the general reader, and is illustrated with numerous Engravings.—All young married people, or those contemplating marriage, and having the least impediment to married life, should read this book. It discloses secrets that every one should be acquainted with; still it is a book that must be locked up, and not lie about the house. It will be sent to any one on the receipt of twenty-five cents in specie or in postage stamps. Address DR. WM. YOUNG, No. 416 Spruce Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

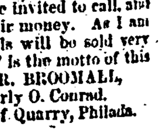


☞ AFFLICTED AND UNFORTUNATE—No matter what may be your disease, before you place yourself under the care of any one of the notorious quacks—native or foreign—who advertise in this or any other paper, get a copy of either of Dr. Young's Books, and read it carefully. It will be the means of saving you many a dollar, your health and possibly your life.

DR. YOUNG can be consulted on any of the diseases described in his publications, at his Office, No. 416 Spruce St. above Fourth. [Apr.12,'60.-1yeow.

PHILADELPHIA WATCH AND JEWELRY STORE.

O. CONRAD, FORMER OCCUPANT, No. 148 N. 2d St., corner of Quarry St.



The undersigned has leased the above premises, where he will keep a large assortment of Gold and Silver Watches, of American, English and Swiss manufacture of the most celebrated makers, in addition to which will be found always on hand (and made to order) an extensive variety of Jewelry, Silver and Silver Plated ware, together with a general assortment of such goods as are usually kept in a first-class Watch and Jewelry Store.

The patrons of O. Conrad, and those of the subscriber, together with the public generally, are invited to call, and they will receive a good article for their money. As I am determined to do a cash business, goods will be sold very low. "*Small Profits and Quick Sales*" is the motto of this Establishment. LEWIS R. BROOMALL,

Formerly O. Conrad.

No. 148 N. Second St., cor. of Quarry, Philada.

June 7, 1860.-1y.

NATIONAL POLICE GAZETTE.—This Great Journal of Crime and Criminals is in its Twelfth Year, and is widely circulated throughout the country. It contains all the Great Trials, Criminal Cases, and appropriate Editorials on the same, together with information on Criminal Matters, not to be found in any other newspaper.

☞ Subscriptions $2 per annum; $1 for six months, to be remitted by subscribers, (who should write their names and the town, county and State where they reside plainly.)

To G. W. MATSELL & CO.,

Editor & Prop'r. of New York Police Gazette,

15-tf] *New York City.*

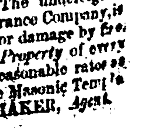
HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—The subscriber offers at Private Sale the HOUSE and LOT now occupied by her, on the corner of Adaline and Julia streets, East Altoona. The House is a good Two-Story Frame Building, containing a Hall, Parlor, Dining-Room and Kitchen on the first floor, four good sleeping rooms on the second floor, & a finished Attic. The lot is in good order.

Persons wishing to view the premises and obtain further information will call upon the subscriber.

MARGT. M. McCRUM.

Altoona, Aug. 11th, 1859-tf.

HOUSE AND LOT AT PRIVATE SALE.—The Gate-House and Lot belonging to the ALTOONA AND HOLLIDAYSBURG PLANK ROAD CO., situate ½ mile from Altoona, is offered at Private Sale. For terms and further particulars inquire of JOSEPH DYSART, President of the Company. [April 20, 1860.-tf.



LYCOMING COUNTY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE AGENCY.—The undersigned agent of the Lycoming Mutual Fire Insurance Company, is at all times ready to insure against loss or damage by fire, *Buildings, Merchandise, Furniture and Property* of every description, in town or country, at as reasonable rates as any company in the State. Office in the Masonic Temple.

Jan. 3, '56-tf] JOHN SHOEMAKER, Agent.